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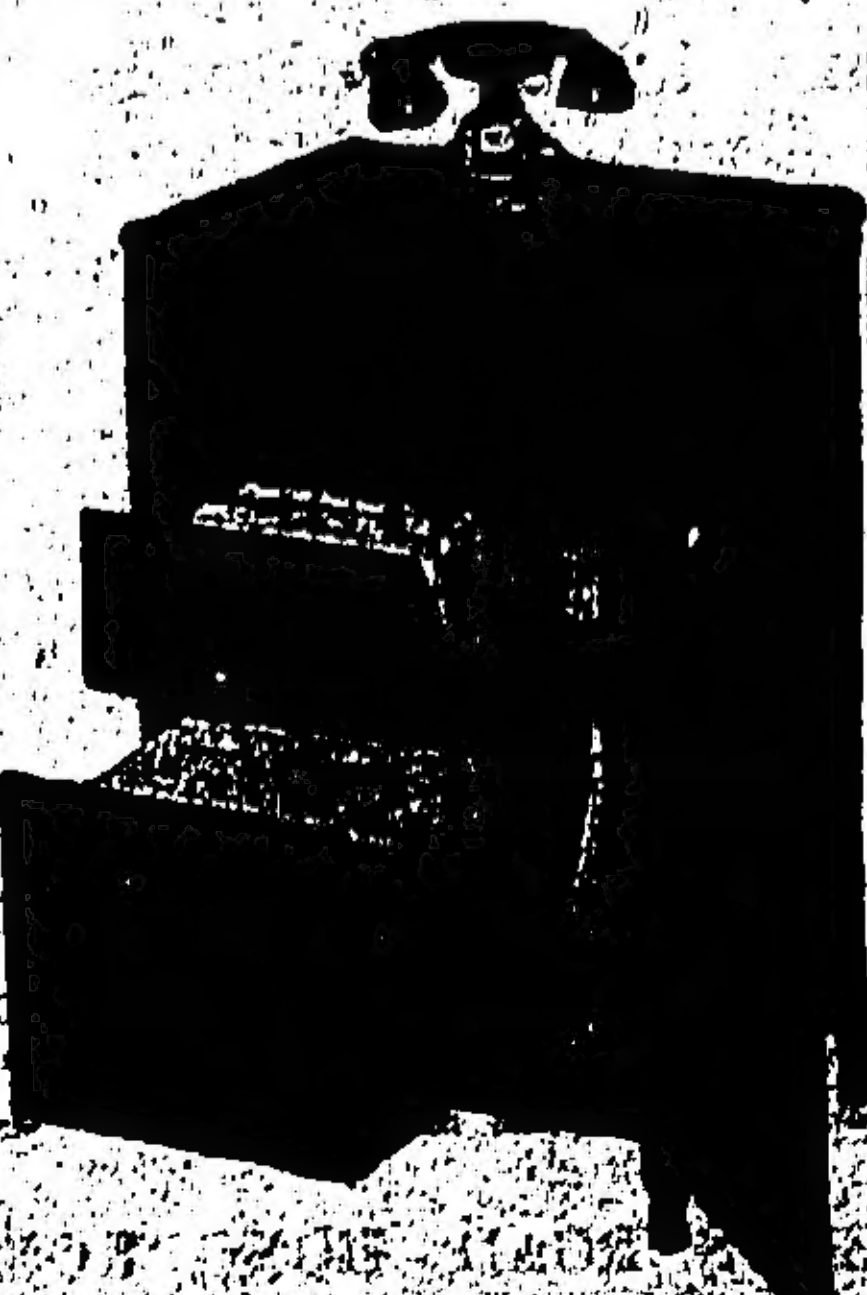
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## EVERYMAN'S PSYCHOLOGY

### THE NON-EGO IMPACTING ON THE EGO

(BY FATHER G. BYRNE, S.J.)

The few facts about taste which we considered last week are sufficient to show that, if turning on the switch does not explain electricity, still less does the act of drinking explain the taste of port wine. Sense perception is a complicated work, and before the sensation image is produced in the workshop quite an elaborate process of adjustment and bargaining between different senses takes place; a process which is all the more wonderful because it is finished in an instant, not like the leisurely eyeing and handling, and talking price which marks the plutocrat of time in Hollywood Road. Learned tomes have been written about all the sensations, and there is promise of more to come as learned doctors are filing, in their laboratories, endless charts of every modal variation and tonic expression captured by the machines which their ingenuity has devised to give a "local habitation and a name" to theoretical fancies. We cannot follow them down the alley-ways of exploration. We should be led far from the simple paths of Everyman's Psychology into the nervy regions of the Expert's Physiology.

### The Animal Knows.

In the scheme of the "Workshop of the Soul" under the heading "Work Produced" are classed Conscious Pictures of Sense, called images. These images help to make us understand how far superior, in the scale of beings, to mere vegetable life is the life that knows generally.

## IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

### MODERATE, FAIR.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.15 P.M., STATED:—  
PRESSURE REMAINS HIGHEST OVER THE PACIFIC; A DEPRESSION IS INDICATED OVER TONKING.  
LOCAL FORECAST:—S.E. WINDS, MODERATE, FAIR GENERALLY.

sation. The plant, however beautiful, is nourished, grows, reproduces its kind, and dies, without ever experiencing the smallest thrill of pleasure from any of these acts: the most minute little insect, feeding on the plant, knows the pleasure of its taste; even for this creature there is a "reaction of his teeny ego to the impact of the non-ego." Or, in the language of the books, "every animal is an organism informed by a dynamic principle essentially different from and superior to the principle of growth peculiar to vegetative or anorganic substances." The animal knows. (For the psychologist, without any ideal of quarrelling with the entomologist, everything that feels is an animal: an insect is born on one of the animal trees).

What exactly do we mean when we say "the animal knows"? We mean that every living thing which has the power of seeing, or smelling, or tasting, or hearing, or touching, when some object acts upon it, will immediately react; it becomes aware of something other than itself. When it becomes aware of this intruder's presence, it is either attracted by it, as is the cat by the milk, or repelled as the cat would be by the vinegar, or, if the first impression is doubtful, it may have a kind of committee meeting of the senses of smell, and touch, and taste to solve the doubt. Your pencil or your turnips have no such deliberative council chambers.

### Sensation Analyzed.

From the psychologist's point of view the most interesting part of the sensation is the image produced. In every sensation there are four clearly distinguishable elements: (1) The sense faculty, e.g. for vision the eye, and the complete organism linked with it; (2) the object of sense, e.g. the mountain peak in front of me; (3) the impression produced by this object when it acts on the sense faculty; in technical language this is called the *Impressed Image*; (4) the act of perception or actual picture of the object, technically called the *Expressed Image*—those who like Latin names call it *Species*; and so they have only one word to remember instead of two. It may help us to a clearer understanding of sensation, as the psychologist wants us to understand it, to use a simple analogy. These days, most of the envelopes that reach us have stamped on them "British Empire Fair." Whoever *impressed* these words on the envelope had a stamp or a seal. The seal is the object, no. (2) above; the seal is quite ready to produce an impression, but the substance before it must be capable of receiving the impression: there would be no use in asking the boy to stamp every cock-tail; a receiving faculty is necessary, and the liquid has none. This is another way of saying that the substance must be ready to the impression, and the seal must be ready to reproduce the seal, which means that it presents again the seal: it is a re-presentation of it. If now the substance, thus stamped with, or reproducing the image of, the seal were capable of perceiving not this image but the seal itself which helped to produce it, it would give us a good illustration of sensation, and, indeed, of an act of knowing generally.

### PENANG WATER SUPPLY

HEAVY RAINS MAY COST  
\$600,000.

Penang, May 10.—At the meeting of the Municipal Commissioners to-day, Mr. W. R. Boyd, the new president, said there had been certain comments in the Press recently on the question of the discolouration of Penang water that had happened since the heavy rains of November last year. As a result though the water was in no way dangerous to health it was unpleasant looking.

As soon as the discolouration was noticed the water department made enquiries of English firms on how the water could be filtered.

It was intended to treat the Ayer Itam reservoir first because it was the dirtiest of the three and also the layout was such that it could be more easily treated. The scheme had not been worked out in detail but it was expected to cost between \$30,000 and \$100,000 and the work was expected to take about six months to complete.

If all three reservoirs were treated it would cost about \$600,000. Mr. Boyd thought it would be sufficient if they treated Ayer Itam first as they could make full use of it.

### SMUGGLERS' TERRIBLE FATE

Locarno, April 25.

A gang of smugglers from the Italian townships of Orero were suddenly caught in an avalanche when they tried to cross the frontier into Switzerland through the Torno pass, a mountain at an altitude of 2,500 metres. With great difficulties six corpses have so far been uncovered under twelve metres of snow and earth. Rescue work is being continued.

## HUANG FU IN PEIPING

### BUT NOT TO NEGOTIATE FOR COMPROMISE

(THROUGH BEUTLER'S AGENCY)

PEIPING, May 17.  
MR. Huang Fu arrived here at 4.35 p.m. to-day and was accorded a very warm welcome by a number of prominent Chinese including General Ho Ying Ching.

Mr. Huang Fu denied that he has come to negotiate for a compromise with Japan and said that he would follow the Government's policy in dealing with the situation.

Marital law was enforced at the station on his arrival to guard against any untoward incidents, as, according to Chinese reports, a Chinese youth hurled a bomb at his train at the Tientsin station, injuring two soldiers. The culprit was arrested.

### BOMB-THROWER EXECUTED

Tientsin, May 17.  
The bomb-thrower was executed at noon to-day by the military authorities. It was stated that the explosion occurred just as Huang Fu's special train passed the railway bridge near the Central Station.

Huang Fu stopped here for four hours and was the guest of honour at a luncheon party given by General Yu Hsueh Chung, Governor of Hebei. During the course of the luncheon they discussed the local situation and Huang Fu denied having any knowledge of the demarcation of the Buffer Zone in North China.

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## DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

### TO-DAY

(May 18)  
(IV. Moon 24th Day)  
Claims in the Estates of Allan Griffiths Copping, late of 328, The Peak, and Choy An, late of 1893 Fort Honolulu, due.

Crown Land Sale, Land Office, Ping Shan, 11.30 a.m.  
Hughes and Hough's Sale of Condemned and Confiscated Goods, Upper Police Station Compound, Hospital Road, 10 a.m.

Meeting of Deacons' Court, Hong Kong Union Church Hall, 5.15 p.m.  
Extraordinary Meeting of the Craigengower Cricket Club, Happy Valley, 6 p.m.  
Theosophical Society Meeting, 6 p.m.

### Theatres.

King's: "Call Her Savage."  
Central: "Men of Chance."  
Queen's: "Night of June 12."  
Oriental: "Life's Comedy" (Chinese film).  
World: "Letty Lynton."  
Star: "Are You There?"  
Majestic: "Steady Company."

### Dances.

Ten Dances at Hong Kong Hotel; Gloucester Building; and King's Restaurant.  
Dinner Dances at Peninsula and Hong Kong Hotels; and King's Restaurant.

### Principal Mails.

Inward from Australia by Ateuta Maru.

### Sports.

Billiards.—Garrison League: Royal Artillery v. Lincoln's, South Wales Borderers v. R.A.M.C., Small Units v. Royal Engineers.  
Lawn Tennis, Hong Kong Area League, Kowloon Section: "D" Company, Lincoln's v. "A" Company, Lincoln's.

Racing: Entries close for Seventh Extra Race Meeting, noon.  
Sunrise—5.42 a.m.; Sunset—6.52 p.m.  
Tides.—High at 8.38 and 16.00; Low at 10.38 and 23.36.

General Feng Yu Hsiang was reported last week to have sent his bodyguard of 2,000 men to Chungpei to defend the city against the Japanese.

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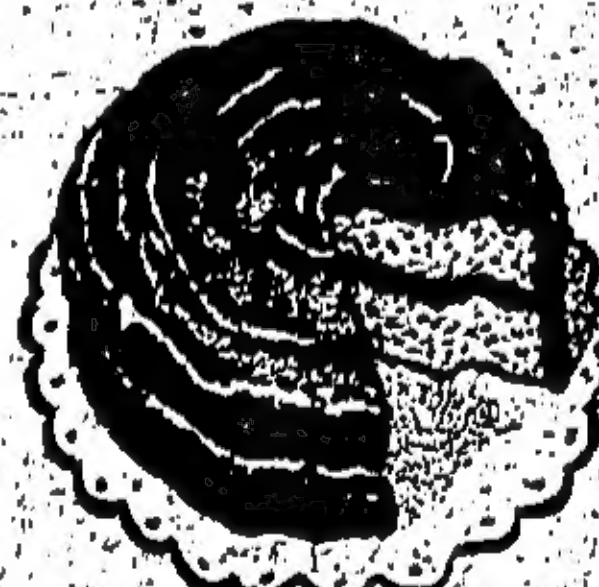
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The King and the World Economic Conference:  
The late Sir W. Geoffrey Salmond: Sir  
Herbert Richmond: Covent Garden:  
The Queen's Portrait: The  
King of Iraq's Visit

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### KING AND CONFERENCE

London, May 2.  
The announcement that the King will personally open the World Economic Conference on June 12 has stirred the public imagination for it adds the last touch of éclat to the most momentous international gathering of recent years. His Majesty may be relied upon to strike the right opening note in the most appropriate phrase. In his detached position he will be able to emphasise with peculiar force that community of economic feeling and instinct of friendship so essential to success. Confidence in the ability of the assembled representatives of 60 nations to reach a solution of many of the problems on the agenda has distinctly improved in Government circles on the advice received as to the understandings reached at Washington. Washington has put London in a successful tactical position.

### SIR W. GEOFFREY SALMOND

Air Marshal Sir William Geoffrey Salmond, who died yesterday at the age of 54, was, in years, senior to his brother, Sir John Salmond, whom he succeeded as Chief of the Air Staff on Saturday, April 1 last.

He joined the Royal Artillery in 1898, after being educated at Wellington and the R.M.A., Woolwich. He served in the South African War and also in the Boxer campaign in China in 1900. In January, 1913, he learned to fly, and joined the Royal Flying Corps (Military Wing).

In 1914 he had a Staff appointment under the late Sir David

Henderson, commanding the Royal Flying Corps at the front. Early the following year he was appointed to command No. 1 Squadron, and later he went to Egypt in command of No. 5 Wing. In 1916 he was given the command of the R.F.C. Middle East, with the rank of brigadier-general, and except for one short interval he held this command until the end of the war.

Sir Geoffrey, a singularly quiet, retiring man, but universally liked, on many occasions proved that he had great ability as an administrator, and that he possessed air sense in a high degree. It was largely due to him that the British won air ascendancy over the Turkish aeroplanes in Palestine in 1917-18, an ascendancy which was chiefly responsible for the dramatic collapse of Turkish resistance. The British advance to Aleppo was heralded by a complete occupation of the skies by British aeroplanes, who bombed enemy aerodromes to such purpose that not a machine could get up. On this occasion the late Sir Ross Smith dropped a bomb in the enemy's signals centre at Afuleh, destroying it, and thus blinding the enemy's intelligence organisation.

### Work in Egypt and India.

In the face of great opposition Sir Geoffrey insisted on the value of Egypt as a training ground for airmen, and, with Air Marshal Borton, at the Palestine front supporting him, he established a training centre in 1917. Early in the following year he was promoted major-general, and throughout this period, his command comprised India as well as all the air units with the armies in Gallipoli, Salonika, and Mesopotamia.

After the armistice he flew from Egypt to India, and after a short period at home, in 1919, he reassumed command of the Middle East, where he remained until 1922, when he became Air Member of Council for Supply and Research. In 1929 he proceeded to India as Air Officer Commanding, and while there he carried out many official tours by air, one of them covering 3,700 miles, and taking in the principal cities and Ceylon.

On his return home three years later he was appointed Air Officer Commanding Air Defence Great Britain.

For his services during the war he was awarded the C.B., K.C.M.G., and D.S.O. He was mentioned in despatches six times, specially mentioned by the Secretary of State for War, and had numerous foreign decorations. In 1928 he was awarded the K.C.B.

Sir Geoffrey married in 1910 Margaret, daughter of the late Mr. William Carr, of Ditchingham Hall, Norfolk, and leaves one son and three daughters.

### A NAVAL "INTELLECTUAL"

Although he may deprecate the term, Admiral Sir Herbert Richmond is undoubtedly one of the "intellectuals" of the Navy. His knowledge of naval history is extensive and profound, and his many books on strategy and policy are worthy to rank with the volumes of Colomb and Mahan.

He took four "firsts" on promotion to lieutenant, and then became a torpedo specialist. During the war he was Assistant Director of Operations, and later was captain of the first Conqueror, and then the Erin in the Grand Fleet.

Admiral Richmond is a strong advocate of smaller warships. He also holds decided views on naval training.

### OPERA SEASON OPENS

The Covent Garden opera season opened last night in the presence of a crowded and distinguished audience which included the Duke and Duchess of York, Princess Helena Victoria, and Princess Marie Louise. When the Duke and Duchess arrived they were loudly cheered as they entered the Opera House. The Duchess was wearing a gown of pearl grey. As the royal party entered their box the audience rose to their feet and applauded heartily. The Duchess picked up the bouquet of yellow roses which had been laid on the ledge of the box, and smiled her acknowledgments. The National Anthem was then played.

A minute later Sir Thomas Beecham raised his baton and another grand opera season had begun. The

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11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.  
12.30 p.m.—European programme of Columbia and Regal records.  
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press News, etc.

2 p.m.—Close down.  
Jazz Pianoforte Recital from the Studio.

6-8 p.m.—European programme.  
8-6.40 p.m.—

### Orchestral.

"Memories of Mendelssohn" (Mendelssohn)—The Regal Salon Orchestra.—MX11.  
"Serenade" (Toselli).  
"Serenade" (Schubert)—The Regal Salon Orchestra.—G1082.  
"Memories of Beethoven"—The Regal Salon Orchestra.—MX14.  
"The Toy Maker's Dream" (Golden).  
"Teddy Bears' Picnic" (Bratton)—Greening Novelty Orchestra.—9720-D.  
"Memories of Mozart"—The Regal Salon Orchestra.—MX16.  
6.40-7-12 p.m.—

### A Concert.

7 p.m.—Closing local stock quotations, etc.  
Piano Solo—"Voices of Spring" (Strauss, arr. Grunfeld)—Ania Dorfmann.—DX398.  
Vocal Duet—"Bird Songs at Eventide" (Barrie and Coates)—Dora Labbette and Hubert Eisdell.—DB880.  
Violin Solo—"Bourree" (Sammons)—Albert Sammons.—9484.  
Song—"Two Eyes of Grey" (McGeoch)—The Hon. W. Brownlow (Baritone)—DB772.  
Piano Solo—"Echoes of Vienna" (Sauer)—Ania Dorfmann.—DX398.  
Vocal Duet—"Until" (Teschemacher and Sanderson)—Dora Labbette and Hubert Eisdell.—DB880.  
Violin Solo—"Indian Lament" (Dvorak-Kreisler)—Albert Sammons.—9484.  
Song—"I Did Not Know" (Bingham and Torture)—The Hon. W. Brownlow (Baritone)—DB772.  
7.12-7.45 p.m.—

### Variety.

Humorous Duets—"Endor and Farrell Medley"—Chick Endor and Charlie Farrell.—DX384.  
Organ Solos—"Song Hits (1932)"—Medley—Reginald Foot.—DB762.  
Humorous Duet—"The New M.P."—Flanagan and Allen.—DB923.  
Orchestral—"Bow Bells"—Selection—Jack Payne and His B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.—DB735.  
Descriptive Sketch—"Horse Sense"—Haver and Lee.—DB858.  
7.45-8 p.m.—

### From the Studio.

A Jazz Pianoforte Recital by L.T.P.  
8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.  
8.3-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Studio Concert.  
10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press news.  
10.35 p.m.—Close down.

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season opened with "Der Rosenkavalier." Many people had waited in the queue outside the house, with short absences, since early on Sunday morning.

### THE ROYAL ACADEMY

The Royal Academy's guests were more than usually fortunate in the quality of the speeches on Saturday—and, in particular, in that of their spokesman, the Archbishop of Canterbury. He made a pleasant, witty speech, which many thought the best of the evening.

His delivery is so good that everybody heard him. Moreover, he possesses the quality that Erasmus extolled—that of saying "grave things lightly"—and there is no higher virtue on an occasion of the kind.

Dr. Lang had something to say to the artist's fraternity. For though he apologised gently enough for intruding on their domain, he struck a more serious note when he said that he would be glad if they

## PENANG AND THE K.L.M.

### Prospects of Modern Aerodrome

### MISTS AND HILLS THE DIFFICULTY

The hills of Penang, which in the past have attracted many visitors to the island and earned it the title of "a gem of tropic beauty," may prove a disadvantage to the future of the town commercially. For many months past there has been much activity in Penang over the preparation of a modern and properly equipped aerodrome, and it has been hoped that when the ground is ready for use it will be brought into the Royal Dutch Airways route between Singapore and Rangoon on the Amsterdam-Batavia service.

That is as the K.L.M. themselves would wish it to be. Penang is the key to the Malay Peninsula from the northern end, as Singapore is from the southern end, and is an important point for that reason. Mail arrangements would be simplified and numerous other advantages would accrue also.

But now doubts as to the practicability of Penang from the viewpoint of commercial aircraft have been engendered by no less a person than the chief inspector of the Royal Dutch Airways, Mr. M. C. Moes.

### Penang is "One Big Hill."

Discussing with a Singapore Free Press representative the possibilities of cutting out Alor Star from the route and making Penang a port of call when the aerodrome there is finished, Mr. Moes thought there was one big difficulty with Penang as a port of call for the 'planes.

"The island," he said, "is one big hill and I am afraid of the meteorological conditions. In times of bad weather there might be considerable difficulty in landing there, on account of the mists hanging about the hills. It all depends on the aerodrome. It certainly could not have been better sited than it is, and a lot of work has been done by the Public Works Department to make it a first class aerodrome. We should like to go to Penang, and we shall certainly do so if it is possible. I am at present collecting data on this question of conditions in Penang, and no doubt decisions will be made before very long."

During his visit to Malaya Mr. Moes has been to Alor Star, Kuala Lumpur and Port Swettenham on his way down to Singapore, but although he inspected the aerodromes at each of the F.M.S. centres, his company are not interested in them as aerodromes, he said, except as emergency landing grounds if ever the need should arise. Penang is the spot they have their eye on.

Mr. Moes went on to refer to the speeding up of the K.L.M. service with Europe in the future. "It has always been our policy to do it gradually, and we have done that in cutting down the time between Batavia and Amsterdam from twelve days to eight days. The next speeding up will be next year when we expect to do the journey in six days. Special new 'planes' are being built, but we are going to give them very severe tests and trials before we put them into service."

### DIVORCE IN CEYLON

### LEGISLATION TO FACILITATE EUROPEAN SUITS

The Secretary of State for the Colonies has been in correspondence with the Ceylon Government on the desirability of framing legislation to facilitate divorce suits among Europeans in Ceylon and that the Attorney-General has been instructed to draft an Ordinance for the purpose of bringing the local law into line with a recent enactment for India.

In Ceylon divorce cases are triable by the District Courts. All Europeans living in Ceylon are not entitled to sue for divorce in these Courts. Only Europeans who have a permanent domicile in Ceylon are able to sue for divorce in the District Courts. The English Courts do not recognise divorces granted outside England for British citizens.

It is therefore proposed that the new Ordinance should enable Europeans living in Ceylon to sue for divorce, such cases being heard by the Judges of the Supreme Court or by Judges nominated by them.

The position of Europeans in India regard to divorce suits was the subject some time ago of an Act of Parliament. It is now sought to introduce legislation on the subject in Ceylon.

## Of Interest To Women

### THE LATEST FROM PARIS

### GOLDEN FINGERS

Gold finger-nails are the latest fad among Parisian beauties—and you do not get them from the manicurist or beauty parlour, but from the jeweller.

The varnishing of finger-nails has become so common a practice that smart women are eagerly looking for some new manner of decorating their finger tips, and jewellers have designed sets of nails for their clients in platinum gold and coloured enamel.

Though they must be moulded exactly to fit the fingers of each individual, much can be done to make them a more lovely shape than her natural fingers are. This alone is a wonder varnish could never accomplish, for it could not alter the shape of an ugly nail.

Enamel nail sets are being made in shades of red from natural pink to rose, and all the deep red tints similar to the varnishes which are in vogue. Again, you may have green, orange, or blue nails to match your frocks.

These false nails fit on to the real nail with tiny clips, resembling the clip brooches everyone wears nowadays. Like tiny sea-shells when seen off the hand they must be moulded from such finely beaten metal that when adjusted they fit perfectly.

### BEAUTY HINTS

It seems incongruous the way girls go about all summer wooing the sun and then spend the autumn and winter months trying to undo the results of the summer sunbath.

However, there is a reason for this inconsistency. In the summer-time when sports clothes are worn a great deal, the skin colouring of rich brown shading blends with the colours and styles, whereas the more formal and feminine things of autumn and winter call for a fairer skin colouring.

As long as this beauty notion continues the girls will find ways and means of keeping in trim for both seasons. There are many well-known ways of achieving a burnt-toast complexion, but the way of bleaching out this dark skin colouring is a bit more difficult.

However, here is one way that has proven successful and also "easy to take." It consists of using that home product corn meal, mixed with milk to form a paste which is used as a facial mask. A half hour is needed in which to dry the meal on the face after which a washing of the face in milk will result in a complexion, at least two shades lighter.

This beauty mask will also benefit skin that has become chaffed on winter winds and will keep the complexion in that tone that is described as a "schoolgirl" skin texture.

mixture alternately. Beat whites of eggs and fold into mixture.

### The Filling.

1 pint fresh cream whipped stiff, add a dash of sugar about 1 tablespoon, a few drops of vanilla.



### EGYPTIAN NOUGAT CAKE

- 4 Tablespoons chocolate
- 1 Cup milk
- 1 Cube butter little less than 1 lb
- 1 1/2 Cups sugar
- 1 1/2 Cups Simpson or any self raising flour
- 1 Teaspoonful vanilla
- 4 eggs

### Method of Mixing.

Dissolve the chocolate in 5 table-spoons of boiling water. Beat the butter to a cream adding the sugar gradually, beating all the time add yolks of eggs one at a time, finally add the milk, flour and chocolate (Continued on previous column).



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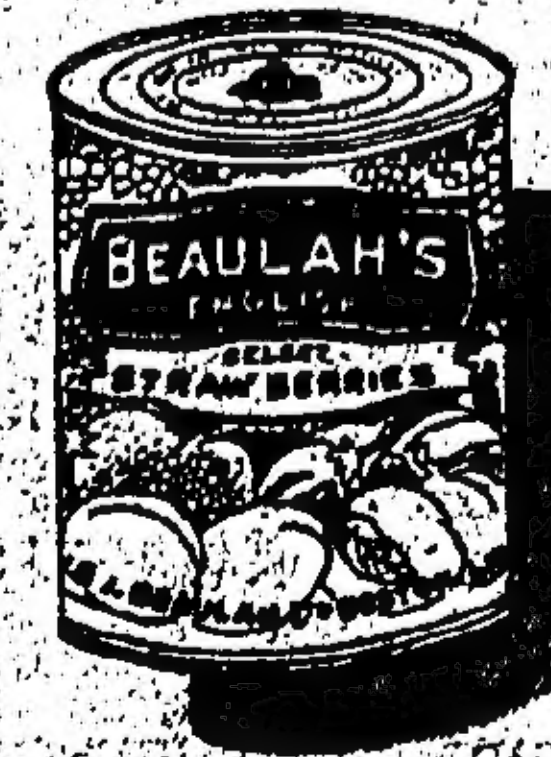
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The Pope has appointed Cardinal Bourne to represent him at the ceremony of the laying of the foundation stone of the Liverpool Roman Catholic Cathedral on Whit Monday, June 5. This announcement is contained in a letter received by the Archbishop of Liverpool (Dr. Downey) from the Secretary of State to the Pope. The letter adds that Cardinal Bourne "declared that he is now sufficiently recovered to accept the mandate."



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## THE AMERICAN NAVY

SHIP ROTATION AS ECO-  
NOMY MEASURE

Washington, May 4.

The Navy is studying a plan to place one third of the fleet on a ship-rotating or fleet reserve system as an economy move. This plan was applied recently to destroyers and submarines, and its extension to other vessels would result in large savings annually in personnel and operational costs.

The exact scheme has not been determined but it is authoritative-ly said that it might extend over a six months' period in which ships in the fleet reserve would be given an overhaul and subjected to repairs, thus affording considerable work to navy yards.

TO-DAY AT THE  
CINEMA

## HONG KONG

King's.  
"Call Her Savage."  
Queen's.  
"Night of June 13th."  
Central.  
"Hold 'em Jail."  
Oriental.  
"Lifes Comedy."  
(Chinese Picture).  
World.  
"Letty Lynton."

## KOWLOON

Star.  
"Are You There."  
Majestic.  
"Steady Company."

## COMING

King's.  
"Jack's the Boy."  
"A Passport to Hell."  
Queen's.  
"Red Dust."  
Central.  
"They Just Had to Get Married."  
"Afraid to Talk."  
"Explorers of the World."  
Oriental.  
"Sherlock Holmes."

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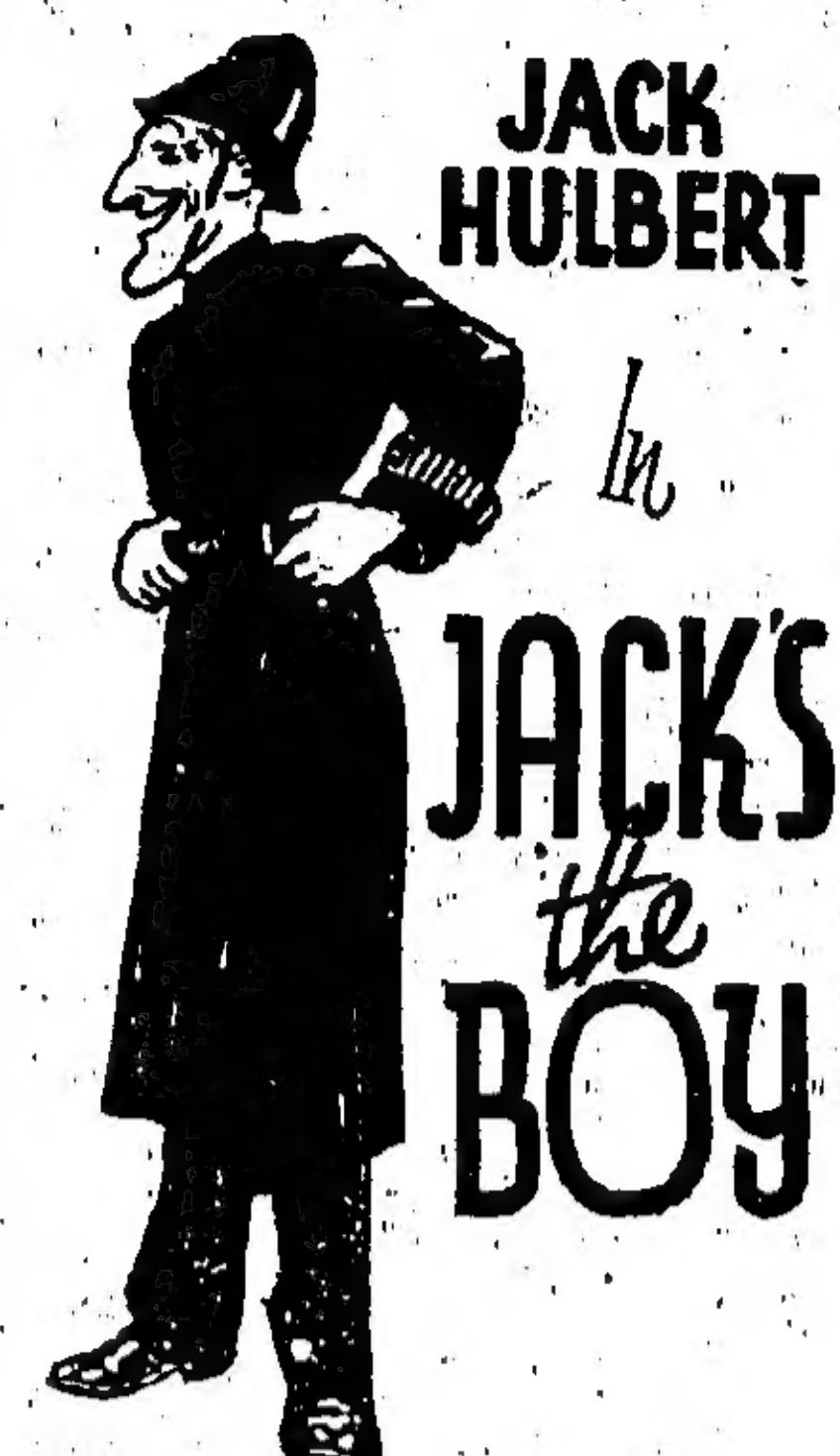
Chung Wah Theatre.  
"Second Hand Wife."  
Sun Kwok Man Theatre.  
"Destiny Rides Again."  
Sun Wah Theatre.  
"The Wild Current."  
Tai Tak Theatre.  
"The Painted Desert."  
Wing Hon.  
"Life Goes On."  
Pearl Theatre.  
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## CALL HER SAVAGE

CLARA BOW STARTS NEW  
CAREER

Clara Bow has been one of the busiest actresses on the Fox lot these days. For the first time in nearly two years she faced the cameras and microphones for the production of her first Fox Picture, "Call Her Savage," showing at the King's Theatre.

Her return to the screen is being watched with interest by her hundreds of friends in the movie colony. Never before, has an actress so maintained her popularity through a period of inactivity in Clara Bow's case it proved the old adage of "absence makes the heart grow fonder." The announcement of her return was the signal of a deluge of fan mail not only from the United States, but throughout the world.

Miss Bow looks upon her return to pictures as the beginning of a new career. Many events both tragic and romantic took place during her absence and it is the combination of these that has had its effect on her personality. When "Call Her Savage" is shown it is said that a new Clara Bow will be seen.

She went about her work with more determination, enthusiasm and sincerity than any newcomer getting her first opportunity. To her the work was real and she put everything into it. The script, for example, called for a realistic fight with Thelma Todd. The scene is said to be one that will go down in motion picture history, because of its vivid reality. In another scene, where she was called upon to bandage the wounded head of Gilbert Roland, her leading man, Clara Bow tore 22 shirts to ribbons before she herself was satisfied with the dramatic action.

The presence of Gilbert Roland on the set, in the role of her leading man, must have been a reminder to Clara of her early days in pictures. Roland, it will be remembered, played opposite Miss Bow, some years ago, in "The Plastic Age." Another happy reminder of the past was the number of personal friends who flocked to the set during the first day of filming. A great part of the day was taken up with autographing everything from a photograph to a college boy's campus cap, and when Clara discarded a corsage after finishing a scene, the extras drew for the privilege of carrying it off as a memento.

"Call Her Savage" is the screen version of the popular novel by Tiffany Thayer who, with Mrs. Thayer, were among Miss Bow's many visitors. In it, Clara makes no less than 28 changes of costume. Estelle Taylor, who plays Miss Bow's mother, and Thelma Todd are said also to be gorgeously powdered in several of the dramatic sequences.

## RED DUST

CLARK GABLE'S QUEER  
MAKEUP

"This is the life, with a week's growth of beard, good old khaki clothes mellowed with dirt, and no dignity to worry about!"

Sounds like a postcard from somebody's best friend enjoying that summer vacation, but it happens to be Clark Gable's enthusiastic comment on his role as the hard-boiled plantation overseer in "Red Dust," which opens on Sunday at the Queen's with Gable and Jean Harlow in the starring roles.

Gable was caught on the "Red Dust" set at the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio for this interview. He was outfitted in the roughest sort of khaki garments and heavy boots, to maintain the relaxation in appearance of a man in continuous struggle with the tropics.

Wore Oldest Clothes. "But I had a swell time," stated the popular film star. "Imagine not having to give a thought to how you look for nearly a month! When I left the house in the morning I put on the oldest pair of duck pants I own, a torn hunting shirt and tennis shoes, and I was all ready to go the studio. While the feminine members of the cast were spending an hour or so putting on make-up, I had a chance to study my lines, smoke a few pipefuls of tobacco and read a chapter of a good book."

"In the action of the picture, I was able to walk on the set without a second's thought to the way my appearance was registering in the camera. When I got into a fight with Donald Crisp and Tully Marshall, I felt right in trim and ready for any kind of a brawl without worrying whether or not my trousers were going to keep their press."

"I guess my childhood ambition to have a job for which I wouldn't have to dress up has finally been realized," concluded Gable, and he ran his hand over his stubble beard and knocked a chunk of mud off his boots.

"Red Dust" was adapted from the Wilson Collison stage success and was directed by Victor Fleming. In support of Gable and Miss Harlow are Gene Raymond, Mary Astor, Donald Crisp, Tully Marshall, Forrester Harvey and Willie Fung.

THE NIGHT OF  
JUNE 13A STORY OF LOVE AND  
DEATH

"The Night of June 13" a Paramount film which started its run at the Queen's yesterday, tells the story of an episode in the lives of four families living in an American suburb, or garden city, as it would be called in England.

The central characters are John Curry and his wife Elma (Clive Brooks and Adrienne Allen). The wife who has suffered from a nervous breakdown is intensely jealous, and imagining that her husband is having an affair with the daughter of a neighbour, shoots herself.

The husband is accused of murder and tried and all the neighbours are called in to give evidence. Each of them has something to hide, and each lies; the consequence of their lies causing the circumstantial evidence to pile up against John Curry.

One feels sure all the time that in the end he will be acquitted, but it is not easy to guess how the truth will be established.

The cast is a good one; besides Clive Brooks and Adrienne Allen, there are Mary Boland who acted so well in "Evenings for Sale," Charlie Ruggles and Frances Dee, Lila Lee whose name is unfamiliar to me, but who from her resemblance to Zasu Pitts must surely be some relation of that very clever actress, plays the girl with whom John Curry is supposed to be in love.

(Continued on previous column).

JACK'S THE BOY  
AT THE KING'SWith Jack Hulbert and  
Cicely CourtneidgeALSO BORDERERS BAND ON  
SUNDAY

"Jack's the Boy" is a zesty, exhilarating comedy of the type enjoyed by all. Jack Hulbert and Cicely Courtneidge, the great comedians in this picture, will entrance you with their wonderful sense of buffoonery. And when Jack sings and dances! Well boys, you had better keep your eye on the girl of your heart!

You have seen Jack Hulbert as a silly ass in "The Ghost Train," disguised, by mustache and glasses, as a hall porter in "Sunshine Susie," but you have yet to see him in his most joyous screen role—F. C. Brown, in "Jack's the Boy," the riotous Gainsborough comedy which is showing next Sunday. He is simply terrific! As a gay young man about town; as a cop on point duty; chasing a crook through the streets of London in a baby Austin car; diving after the same crook in Madame Tussaud's Chamber of Horrors and arresting, not the crook, but—endeavouring to impersonate the executioner of Mary, Queen of Scots, when watching crooks at work in Madame Tussaud's—he is simply tremendous, and don't forget he is partnered by the one and only Cicely Courtneidge, who is in her element as the proprietress of a pseudo-Scottish cafe and when

## THE ANNUAL KHUD RACE

KEEN STRUGGLE IN H.K.S.  
BRIGADE R.A. EVENT

The annual "Khud" race of the Hong Kong-Singapore Brigade, Royal Artillery, was held this morning over a course of about four miles. Competitors started from the junction of the Castle Peak and Tai Po Roads and had to make their way round the flagstaffs on the top of Beacon Hill, and return to the starting point. This involved a climb of some 1,500 feet over country that was new to them and proved a real test of endurance.

The event was run as a team race, each Section of the Mountain Battery and each Heavy Battery entering a team of eight men. The first man home was Gunner Vais Mudd of the 5th (H.K.S.) Heavy Battery R.A. who finished in the very good time of 34 minutes, with Gunner Ahmed Khan of the Left Section, 1st (H.K.S.) Mountain Battery R.A., a close second.

The winning team was that of the 5th (H.K.S.) Heavy Battery R.A. seven of whose team finished in the first nine.

THE HONG KONG &  
YAU MATI FERRYSERVICE EXTENDED FROM  
TO-DAY

In response to the wishes of a large number of car owners, the Hong Kong & Yau Matí Ferry are again extending their vehicular ferry service as from to-day when the ferry will leave Hong Kong for Kowloon and vice versa every 20 minutes between the hours of 7.20 a.m. and 10 p.m.

The Managing Director adds:—We hope to be able to operate the full passenger and vehicular ferry service early next month.

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- Potpourri of National Airs.  
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(2) Traditional Irish Air.  
(3) March of the Men of Harlech.  
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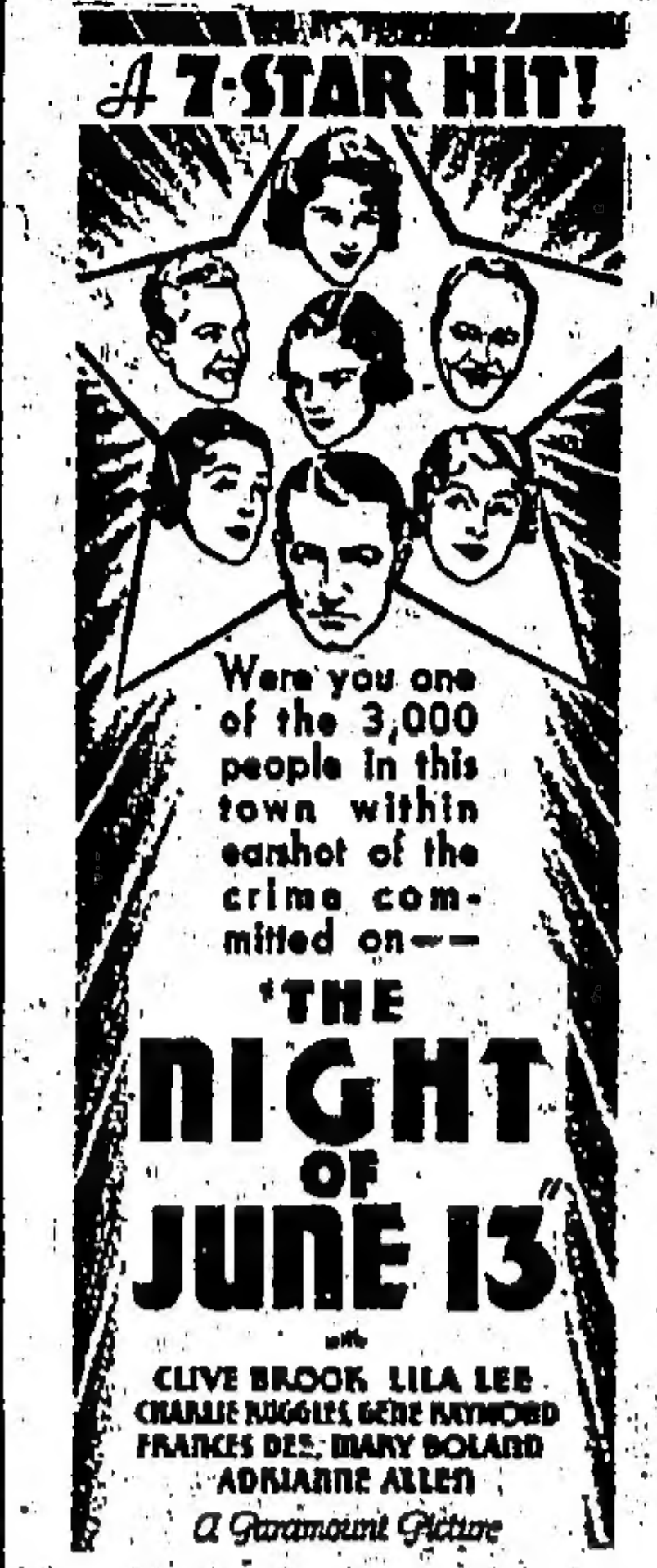
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the girl friend and the  
rest of the gang in the  
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comedy-drama of the  
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of the 3,000  
people in this  
town within  
earshot of the  
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mitted on—  
**THE  
NIGHT  
OF  
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CLIVE BROOK LILA LEE  
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## ARAKI IN AGGRES- SIVE MOOD

JAPAN SURROUNDED BY  
WOLVES AND CASTAWAY  
CATS

### NINE POINTS OF THE LAW

Addressing the inauguration meeting of the Hyogo-ken National Defence Association held at the local Chamber of Commerce and Industry, General Araki, Minister for War, declared that the road which the 90,000,000 people of Nippon should tread in the present national emergency is already clearly indicated. Setting apart the merits or demerits of the course, the most effective way to the tide over the national crisis is for the whole nation to tread the road vigorously in close unity and co-operation. The most regrettable thing is that at this momentous juncture differences sometimes occur among the people to the detriment of the national spirit.

This leads foreign observers to the belief that in spite of her present brave show, Japan will soon be completely exhausted and reach a deadlock. And then, they think, Japan will withdraw from Manchuria and all international relations be straightened out.

Why did Japan withdraw from the League of Nations, and what will become of her after withdrawal? Now that Japan has actually severed connection with that institution, she must see clearly where she stands. The recognition of 'Manchukuo' was not the sole cause. It was due to Japan's subservience to the Western Powers that she became one of the five Big Powers of the world. Japan has been submissive to them, though much against her will, as otherwise she could not conclude treaties advantageous to her. With all regard for the pains taken in this regard, it must be admitted that she has earned her subservience so far, with the result that she earned the contempt of the Western Powers. Even her friendly neighbour China, came to look down upon her. One big cause of the present troubles is that China concluded it was more to her benefit to pay attention to the Western Powers than to go hand in hand with Japan.

### Japan in the Arm.

Outcries against military arbitrariness are heard in foreign countries nowadays, but there can be no military arbitrariness in this country. In Japan, the whole nation constitutes the army. The Japanese army is the Imperial army. Every sword and every bullet carries the Imperial Order. The Emperor's injunctions are absolute. The charge of arbitrariness cannot rightly be laid against the Japanese military.

The League of Nations has adjudicated that Japan is incapable of guaranteeing the peace of the Far East, and proclaimed its intention to take Manchukuo into its own custody. Japan does not necessarily grudge parting with Manchuria. She only wants the acceptance of her great claims of the establishment of peace in the Far East and the establishment of Asiatic culture. But this is no time for argument. The fundamental difference in the points of view of Japan and the League is that while Japan stands on solid realities, the League attaches importance to empty formality. Japan has recognised Manchukuo. Once she has made clear this attitude, she must adhere to it to the last.

One faulty step at the present momentous juncture, and Japan's future will be doomed. This is why the whole nation must have a clear conception of the present emergency situation.

### Unedifying Spectacle.

What, then, are the country's international relations? America, who was friendly to Japan at the time of the Russo-Japanese War, exacerbated Japanese feeling over the Californian question and she is fortifying the Panama Canal. What an unedifying spectacle! Soviet Russia is for the despotism of the proletariat against the monarchical regime. It is clear that her policy is absolutely incompatible with the policy of this country which is ruled by the Emperor. Japan must defend herself against these wolves which are sharpening their fangs, and cast away cats showing their teeth for attack. China, which ought to be in brotherly relations with Japan, is an impossible country. There the powers that be must needs wear anti-Japanese, as otherwise they will incur the public displeasure and be forced to retire.

Such being the circumstances surrounding Japan, General Araki urged, the nation must be fully awake to the task of national defence. National defence means the strict observance of the Imperial injunctions and the maintenance of them in all walks of life. The defence of Nippon is the defence of the Emperor. This is the line behind the gun. The first line behind the gun is to perform the morality of Nippon. Do

## UNMUZZLED DOGS

Two Shot by the Police

MUZZLES THAT "WONT  
STAY ON"

The story of how a dog was shot when swimming round a boat in Shaukiwan harbour was related to Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday when a boatwoman was charged with keeping a black dog without a licence and also with allowing it to go about without a muzzle.

The woman denied ownership at first, but later admitted keeping it as a watch dog.

Sub-Inspector Logan informed his worship that he saw the dog pass the Shaukiwan police station. It was unmuzzled. He took a shot gun and went in pursuit. He was told it had gone in the direction of the harbour. He made a search for the dog in a sampan. He eventually saw it swimming alongside defendant's boat. She reached out and caught the dog by the neck, but on seeing witness let it drop into the water. The dog continued swimming round the boat, and was eventually turned away. He then shot it.

Mr. Schofield imposed fines of \$4 on each charge.

### Injured for Life.

For allowing her brown and white terrier dog abroad without a muzzle, Mrs. S. Boulton, of Tai-koo Dockyard, was cautioned by Mr. Wynne-Jones.

The Magistrate—I understand your dog was unfortunately shot. Mrs. Boulton—Yes. The doctor says the dog is injured for life.

The Magistrate—I am very sorry about that.

### Owners Fined.

A fine of \$5 was imposed on Second-Lieut. J. Tyler, of the South Wales Borderers, on a similar summons. Lt. Tyler said that the dog was not actually his, and he was only taking it out for a walk.

Mr. H. S. Forsyth, of the Asiatic Petroleum Co., Dr. Woo, 27, Babbington Path and Li Mau, of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club were also fined \$5 each.

A Chinese woman pleaded that the dog's muzzle came off in the street.

His Worship—Yes. They all do that.

Another Chinese stated his dog chewed the leather muzzle. The Magistrate advised defendant to obtain a wire one.

## DAIRY FARM MILK- MEN IN TROUBLE

CHARGED WITH ASSAULT-  
ING A COLLEAGUE

Four Shanghai Chinese milkmen employed by the Dairy Farm Ice and Cold Storage Co., Ltd. and two women were charged before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday with assaulting a fellow foki.

Sergeant J. O'Donovan, prosecuting, informed his Worship that at about 6 p.m. on May 12 the complainant and three friends were walking along Sassoon Road towards Pokfulam on their way to Hong Kong. As they passed the house of the defendants, the first defendant and the two women came up to the complainant and accused him of having spread a story that they had been stealing wood. An argument followed and one of the women, it was alleged, pushed the complainant. At the same time the first, third and fifth defendants came out of the house and joined in the assault. The complainant alleged that the second defendant produced a weapon and stabbed him in the forearm. He also alleged that he had been hit on the arm with an iron bar.

Later the complainant's three friends managed to stop the fight.

After evidence had been given by the complainant in support of Sergeant O'Donovan's outline, the case was adjourned.

## SILVER WARE STOLEN

EUROPEAN HOUSE ROBBED.

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed by Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday on a Chinese who was charged with stealing silver ware from No. 63, Mount Path, the residence of Mr. W. L. Walker.

The articles stolen included a silver drinking cup, five service rings, a silver egg cup, a silver match box, a silver sugar basin, a silver cream jug and other articles to a value of \$70.

Sergeant O'Donovan said defendant tried to dispose of the silver ware in opium dens, but the articles were not accepted as they had some inscriptions in English on them. Property to a value of \$54 was not recovered.

void of this, Nippon is all talk of rationality or efficiency is merely a mask for the selfish and unscrupulous pursuit of power. The first line behind the gun is to perform the morality of Nippon. Do

## TWO NEW SOLICITORS

MR. BROWN AND  
MR. BOTELHO

Two new solicitors were admitted to practise in Hong Kong by the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice Wood at the Supreme Court yesterday.

They were Mr. William Mauleverer Brown, formerly of the Old House, Bowdler, Thrak, Yorkshire, and at present of Gloucester Building, and Mr. Henrique Alberto de Barros Botelho, of David House, 67, Des Voeux Road Central.

Mr. Brown was educated at Haileybury College and Trinity College, Cambridge, and at home was articled in London to Messrs. Waterhouse and Co., of 10 and 12, Bishop's Gate, E.C.

Mr. Botelho was born in Hong Kong and educated at St. Joseph's College. On matriculation in 1926 he was articled with Messrs. Leo D'Almeida e Castro. Mr. Botelho is a keen horseman and owns a number of race ponies under the name of Mr. Splits. He is also a hockey player being a member of the Club de Recreio side. Mr. Botelho is a member of the Portuguese Company, H.K.V.D.C., and was one of the original members of the Volunteer Band.

## CO-EDUCATION IN JAPAN

MUSIC PRIVILEGED, WHY  
NOT ART AND OTHER  
STUDIES?

Tokyo.—At the Conference of the Presidents of the Higher Normal Schools and the Art and the Music Academies, held at the Education Department on the 8th instant, the view in favour of co-education at Universities and Colleges found general support.

The ball was set rolling by one educationist who pointed out the illogicality of co-education not being allowed at the Art Academy when it is practised at the Music Academy. The prevalent view was that seeing that co-education is actually going on at primary schools and at Universities, Government, public and private, all colleges should have co-education in regard to branches of study suitable for women. The line was drawn at secondary schools and high schools—the former because the students are pubescent, and the latter because high schools are an extension of common education.

This opinion will be laid before the Educational System Commission for further consideration.

## BURIED TREASURE!

OLD-TIME ROBBER CHIEFS  
HOARD?

When some of the people of the Leung village of the 10th, Division of Yan Ping District were worshipping at the tombs of their ancestors, in the "Big Man" mountain, they discovered a stone tablet, which had engraved on it the characters "Shap-Man-Kau-Chin-Chat."

According to traditions handed down by the elders, it is said that years ago a robber-chief named "Embroidery Needle," buried a sum of \$100,700 in this mountain, and cut a stone tablet to mark the place.

It is reported that a large number of villagers have flocked to the spot with picks and shovels to search for the buried treasure.

## MANCHURIAN EMIGRATION

NEW EXPLOITATION SCHEME  
TO ATTRACT MILLION  
JAPANESE.

Tokyo.—Mr. Hatta, vice-president of the South Manchuria Railway Company, who is now in Tokyo on a short visit, called on Mr. Tsurumi, Parliamentary under-secretary of Overseas Affairs, and discussed the financial problem relating to the Manchuria Farm Exploitation Company.

There are at present two plans—one for the establishment of a finance corporation with a capital of ¥20,000,000 or ¥40,000,000 and the other the use of the Oriental Development Company as its financing organ. At the above conference the latter plan was considered best. The establishment of a new company, it was argued, will only complicate matters.

However, the Oriental Development Company must be thoroughly reorganised. The Company in the first place, must readjust its finance and create new funds. It will have to raise new debentures, and obtain accommodation from the Deposits Bureau. Mr. Hatta will hold further conversations with the Overseas authorities.

The Farm Exploitation Company, as already pointed out, will have a capital of ¥20,000,000. It is to invite Japanese immigrants, and allowing 15 choban per household, embrace at least 90,000 households or a population of 1,000,000.

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Tokyo.—Taking the occasion of War Minister Araki's visit, Mr. prominent Kobe industrialist interested in munitions manufacture met the military and prefectural authorities convened in the presence of the Minister. They discussed factory mobilisation

tion in the event of an emergency. It is understood that in the course of the talk, Colonel Ueda, of the Office, delivered a speech on the outline of the programme of munitions mobilisation.

After exchanging views mostly about the transition of industry to a war time footing and the preservation and replenishment of industrial resources, the conference broke up. The manufacturers agreed that they will meet on frequent occasions in the future, organising a Research Institute of Munitions Mobilisation.



## MARSEILLES TO SAIGON BY AIR

### II.—FROM CORFU TO THE PERSIAN GULF

#### ATHENS, DAMASCUS, THE TIGRIS AND EUPHRATES, BAGDAD AND BUSHIRE

In this article Bishop F. Chaize, of Hanol, continues his interesting and racy account of his journey by Air Orient hydroplane from Marseilles to Saigon. Yesterday, it will be remembered the story was taken to a return to Corfu owing to fog at Athens the next port of call.

Below will be found a fascinating picture of Corinth and Athens, of Bayrouth, Damascus, and the ancient land between the Tigris and Euphrates.

The concluding article will appear to-morrow.

Saturday 14. Rose at 4.30 a.m. The pilot wished to try and gain the time lost and reach Beyrouth in the day, but with a head wind rain and thick fog we had to wait for daylight. We started at 7.30 a.m. a fresh false start, on the same course as the day before up to the line of the mountains of Greece. Very bumpy, mountains enveloped in thick fog. We turned again and arrived back to the base at Corfu, not without severe buffeting by gusts of an angry wind. I thought of St. Paul pursued by the tempest . . . and in comparison found myself fortunate.

We returned to the hotel and in the meantime the Company continually enquired by wireless the weather conditions in the Athens area. They would let us know if it would be possible to continue the journey in the afternoon. I employed my time by making some notes on the first part of the journey, but the throbbing of the motors had so affected my nerves that my hand trembled so that I was scarcely able to write.

The departure was put off till the next day, and in the evening I visited the town of Corfu (population of 40,000) with large gardens and imposing houses in contrast with very narrow streets.

#### Over Historic Greece.

Sunday 15th. During the night the wind fell, and the sky cleared. It was a clear moonlight night, and we started at 8.30 a.m. We flew over the mountains of Livadia at a height of 2000 metres, and then at a lower height we flew the length of the gulf of Corinth, which separated us from the isthmus of Isthmus, and on the right I picked up Lepanto.

We fought against a head wind which buffeted about the machine and we crossed the isthmus of Corinth above the Canal which connects the Gulf of Corinth with that of Athens and we went on our curved course at about forty kilometres an hour. I was not able unfortunately to pick out the Acropolis where St. Paul preached. As we dropped the mail and filled up with petrol there was just time for a cup of coffee and we started off at 10.30 for Castlerose, distance about 600 kilometres. We encountered further bumps above the islands of the Gulf of Athens, then perfect weather, a following wind, stability perfect except perhaps for the vibration of the motors. We flew at 2,000 metres under a clear sun above a sea of scattered clouds and I did due honour to a small cold repast served in the machine. We crossed the Cyclades and the Sporades, Islands of the Aegean Sea (I thought of the unhappy Icarus, a precursor of aviation). We skirted the town of Rhodes which is situated on the North East Point of the island of the same name.

#### Castel Rosso.

We hoped to push on as far as Beyrouth which is 630 kilometres to the East of Castel Rosso but the hydroplane which we met coming from Beyrouth signalled rain and bad weather. So we slept at Castel Rosso, a small island close to the Turkish coast. We descended into a superb creek well protected by a line of high craters, one side of which is situated the picturesque town of Castel. This was occupied in the late War by the French who fortified the craters of the islands against the Turks and established a hydroplane base there. Actually the island is under Italian mandate; the population is orthodox Greek of 15,000 people and now reduced to 3,000 on account of violent earthquakes of 1926 and by the prohibition made by the Turks to trade with them. We passed the night at a little house rented by the Company Air Orient, we were very cramped but they very kindly reserved a small room for me and my two companions had to double up together.

#### Beyrouth at Last.

Monday the 16th. At 5.30 a.m. we departed in clear weather and a light breeze. We headed straight for the East towards Beyrouth at an altitude of about 1,000 metres. We skirted the Coast South West of Cyprus, in places abrupt in places undulating, with small towns dotted about. We landed in the port of Beyrouth at 10.30 a.m. a fine town with a population of 180,000, situated on a large promontory.

The population was cosmopolitan of various religions and cults. French is fairly generally spoken here. It is the Capital of the Libanese Republic and under French mandate.

Our passports were rapidly inspected and we got into a motor car to catch the aeroplane at Damascus a distance of 110 kilometres, across the sharp slopes of Lebanon. On leaving Beyrouth we crossed fields of olive trees and banana trees, vines on the slopes of Liban and numerous villas built at the side of the road. Then over the snow-bound peaks, we travelled on an asphalt road with snow melting under the sun's heat. There are many dangerous spots on this road and I suffered several awkward moments for fear of crashes, as we passed many motor cars. I searched in vain for the famous Cedars of Lebanon but there is nothing left, they have been cut down. However we met many camels small pack horses and donkeys. We crossed a small valley close to the hills of Anti-Liban entering Syrian territory and debouching on to the plains of Damascus.

#### Damascus.

Damascus is a city of 300,000 inhabitants in the middle of a wonderful green oasis of some fifteen kilometres long and 7 broad. I had no time to visit the town because we went straight to the airport situated some nine kilometres away. We had a rapid breakfast on the aerodrome (belonging partly to the military and partly to the Air Orient Company). At 1 o'clock we took our places on a Farman machine, tri-motor monoplane of 700 h.p. and a mean speed of 180 k.m. an hour. With a following wind we actually did 210 k.m. an hour.

We flew at a height of 200 metres over the deserts of Syria and Iraq; we saw the bed of a dried up river where a recent rain had left a few pools of water but there was no vegetation, for a long time we followed the course of motor cars doing the journey from Damascus to Bagdad. We saw two or three broken down lorries which appeared to be having a difficult time.

At four o'clock we were over the middle of the desert close to the fort of Roubat, at 380 kilometres from Damascus and 420 from Bagdad; this fort constructed by the English during the time of their mandate over Iraq is garrisoned by Iraqi troops. It is a large quadrilateral of 80 kilometres a side. In the centre a garage for motor cars, in the interior accommodation for soldiers and travellers, one side is reserved for the hotel equipped with convenient rooms with electricity and ventilators the current being supplied by the wireless company. It was rather cold and the heaters were lit in the different rooms. Round the fort there are some Arab tents made of skins of animals. One sees also vestiges of the Old water wheels said to have been introduced by the Romans and still used by the Arabs to draw water.

Our pilot profited by the falling daylight and went some distance from the fort and rested on a tomb; he heard a noise behind him and looking round saw a hyena showing his teeth in a somewhat hostile manner, so he discreetly retraced his steps to the fort. Although the desert is absolutely arid one finds gazelles, hyenas and jackals; there were also nomad Bedouins tending some meagre flocks of goats and sheep, fed by the motor service from Damascus to Bagdad.

#### The Tigris and Euphrates.

Tuesday 17. Departure at daylight by a clear sky for Bagdad and Bushire. We are trying to make up the time lost in the Mediterranean by doubling our stages. We flew with a following wind at 800 k.m. an hour and in two hours and five minutes covered the 420 k.m. which separated us from Bagdad. We passed the Euphrates at Ramadi, a hundred k.m. before Bagdad. We saw a little vegetation, some trees growing on the banks of the Euphrates, a river with clear waters which flowed lazily through the middle of the deserts, describing an infinite number of

(Continued on next column)

## ATTEMPTED MURDER OF A JOURNALIST

### Alleged Assailant Caught After Long Chase

Further evidence was taken by Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday in the case in which a young Chinese was charged with the attempted murder of Lo Wei Keung, the proprietor of the Tin Nam Daily News.

The outrage occurred at No. 19, Lyndhurst Terrace on the night of April 18, and the accused was alleged to be the man who fired five shots at the complainant who had a most fortunate escape, only being wounded slightly in the left shoulder.

Mr. J. A. Fraser, assistant Attorney General, appeared for the prosecution, and the defendant was represented by Mr. Horace Lo who reserved his cross-examination.

#### The Chase.

Lance Sergt. Lai Loi Hing told the Court that on the evening in question he was on duty in the neighbourhood of Lyndhurst Terrace when at about 7.45 he heard a report like the firing of a cracker. A few seconds later he heard a second report, and this time he thought it was the firing of a gun. He turned round and saw a man, whom he identified as the accused, running into the street from house No. 19. Witness was about 120 feet away at the time and immediately gave chase. The man was dressed in black and when outside house No. 42, Ng Tak Wing, who eventually caught the accused, joined in the chase. They were then about forty feet behind the man, who ran down Gage Street and then to Chuk Hing Lane. Witness followed the man to Chuk Hing Lane, while Ng Tak Wing continued his way down Gage Street. The man then turned to Gatzlaff Street and then witness was rejoined by Ng and a Chinese constable C.300. Near the mouth of the street, the man took off his jacket and threw it away. C.300 picked it up. The man then ran to Wellington Street and turned to the right to Graham Street from where he ran to Queen's Road. After running along Queen's Road the man turned to Peel Street and then to Stavely Street where, after he had run about thirty yards, he was caught by Ng Tak Wing.

After further evidence had been given by C. 300 regarding the chase, the hearing was adjourned.

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We started again at 10.20 in a East South-Easterly direction for Bushire, 800 k.m. away where we arrived at 3.45 p.m. at a speed of 220 k.m. an hour. A little after Bagdad we entered Persian Territory and frequently saw the meandering Tigris comparable to a huge serpent. The river sparkled under the sun like a large golden ribbon. It is very like the Euphrates which course at times recedes from us at other approaches the Tigris. Everywhere are immense dams, with pools of water over which we fly at a low altitude, villages, large flocks of goats and sheep grazing, a few boats on the river and frequent islands of sand.

We passed over the little town of Amara, then the plain deepens, and is covered with numerous pools of water and disappears under huge morasses. A bank of clouds forces us to climb to some 1800 metres then at a lower height at a distance of some 120 k.m. we strike the North East point of the Persian Gulf with its blue waters bordered with immense sand and morasses. At 2 o'clock we arrive at Bushire, a small Persian town with its single storied houses built with dried brick, around spacious courtyards of palm trees which overhang the high walls. Each house possesses a large tank to hold their reserve of water as rain is very scarce in these parts. We intend to push as far as Djask but the customs formalities, more particularly in Persia than any other country, took so much time that we obliged to sleep at Bushire.

## NEW HOME FOR STOCK EXCHANGE

### Mr. Potts Lays Founda- tion Stone

#### NINE-STORYED BUILDING

Yesterday, in Ice House Street, Mr. G. H. Potts, a member of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange, when it was first opened, laid the foundation stone of the new nine-storyed building that is to be the new home of the Stock Exchange.

There was a good number of brokers and their friends at the formal function and an interesting feature was the fact that the stone was fixed in position with "Green Island" Cement, the product of the well-known local company whose shares have, from time to time been the main counter in the local Rialto.

After the formal ceremony an adjournment was made to the present premises of the Stock Exchange in the ground floor of Exchange Building, where a large gathering of friends and well wishers of the Stock Exchange assembled to drink to the success and prosperity of the Stock Exchange and its members.

Mr. G. H. Potts in welcoming the guests recalled the early days of the Exchange and the troublous times they had been through during its 34 years existence in the Colony. He told the gathering that one of the many people who had grown old with the local Stock Exchange was Mr. Joseph Gould, who, he said, was in a better position than anyone else to tell them of times members have been through.

Mr. Potts thanked the guests for honouring the Stock Exchange with their presence. He said that he would like to see a more optimistic tone everywhere and he wanted to see more "Bulls" than "Bears" as that was a sure sign that things were looking up.

#### Felicitations from Colleagues.

Mr. W. J. Carroll, on behalf of the Hong Kong Sharebrokers' Association thanked Mr. Potts for their hospitality and expressed the hope that the Stock Exchange will enjoy many years of prosperity in Hong Kong. He assured Mr. Potts that the members of the Sharebrokers' Association would always stand by the Stock Exchange and lend their co-operation to the older institution on all occasions.

Mr. C. Champkin, speaking on behalf of the Exchange Brokers' Association also expressed the hope that things will look better and that there will soon be a general trade revival which must lead to prosperity on the "Rialto."

#### The New Building.

The new building is to be nine storeys, and when completed it will be twenty feet higher than the National Commercial and Industrial Bank which stands at the corner of Ice House Street. There will be a big hall on the ground floor where the brokers will meet in the morning. There will also be a very large room on the mezzanine floor. There is space on each side of the hall for a shop. The upper storeys, which will be served by two lifts will be used as offices for the members of the Exchange. The building is designed with an imposing frontage on Ice House Street and is built in "pagoda" fashion, the upper storeys decreasing slightly in size.

The contractors have undertaken to complete the new home of the Stock Exchange by February next year and the cost of the building is estimated at \$750,000.

The Hong Kong Stock Exchange was founded in 1891 and for many years was in Ice House Street. When Exchange Building was completed in 1923 they moved into their present premises in the basement of that building. The new building will thus be its third home in 43 years. Originally there were very few members but with the growth of the Exchange a limit of 24 was fixed some years ago. In view of the demand for seats even this number has been found too small and in recent years it was raised to 30.

## NEW MILITARY POST BARRACKS IN THE EAST RIVER DISTRICT.

Owing to the great importance of the East River district between Tai Po and Swatow commercially and otherwise, General Chan Chai Tong has sent Mr. Yip Chik Nam to Mooy Yuen to select a site for new military barracks.

When a suitable site is found building operations will commence at once. It is reported that these barracks will be occupied by the Mooy Yuen troops who will be forbidden to billet themselves in private houses. According to the plans, the new barracks will house one Division of troops.

## SINGAPORE CAUSE CELEBRE

### WELL-KNOWN EURASIAN ACQUITTED OF HOMICIDE

Singapore, May 11.—There was a dramatic climax at the trial, before the Assize Court, yesterday, of Harold Vincent Perreau who was charged with culpable homicide not amounting to murder. At the conclusion of the case for the prosecution the jury unanimously decided that there was insufficient evidence to convict and his lordship, Mr. Justice Mills, discharged the accused.

Perreau was not called upon to make his defence. The accused is a member of a well-known Eurasian family and the charge followed the death of a Chinese woman named Piah, alias Puteh, alleged to be a prostitute, who lived in a house in Lorong Stangee, off Esat Coast Road.

On January 14 Piah's body was found in her bed. The front door of her house had been broken open and it was discovered that she had been dead for many hours.

Medical evidence showed that the woman had terrible internal injuries, including broken ribs, an injury to her right lung and rupture of the liver and spleen.

Perreau, who was once a professional boxer, was arrested after preliminary investigations he was discharged. Later he was re-arrested, this time on the strength of a statement made to the police by one Albert Monis, who swore that Perreau called at his house on January 15 or 16 (he could not say definitely which day) and confessed to having beaten the woman Piah until she died.

#### "Would Be Murdered."

Under cross-examination by Mr. A. J. Braga, counsel for the defence, Monis admitted that he had not told the full story to the police when he was first interrogated. He did not tell the police everything in the first instance because he was afraid he "would be murdered."

#### Protection.

Have the police guaranteed your life now?—No. At least they have guaranteed me protection.

Why did you not tell the police that about the truth—if it was the truth and ask for protection?—I was afraid then.

Mr. Braga: I put it to you that every word of this alleged confession or conversation made to you by Mr. Perreau is an invention?—No. It is the truth and nothing else but the truth.

Mr. Braga: And the whole thing was put up to you to say?—No.

Mr. Braga: It was this belated statement of yours that caused the re-arrest of the accused?—Yes.

Mr. Braga submitted that no case had been made out and asked his lordship to draw the attention of the jury to the provision in the Code by which they could return a verdict of not guilty at that stage if they considered there was insufficient evidence on which to convict.

The jury retired to consider the point and in five minutes returned with an unanimous decision that there was not sufficient evidence. Perreau was accordingly discharged.

## EXHIBITION OF HOME-MADE GOODS

### OPENED AT HANGCHOW.

An Exhibition of Home-Made Goods was formally opened at Hangchow on Tuesday.

There were 150 exhibitors and the prices of all goods were reduced to encourage purchases.

The Exhibition was attended by crowds of enthusiastic visitors, and probably will continue for 21 days. It has been officially announced by the Committee of the Exhibition that a Carnival will be held on the 16th and 17th instant, and that a hearty welcome will be given to women visitors and the Labour and Commercial Unions on the last day of the Exhibition.

#### TO CLEAN PIRATES

### CHINESE TROOPS FOR BIAS BAY.

Bias Bay still has the evil reputation as the rendezvous of robbers and pirates, and Admiral Choy Ting Fai has sent a body of troops there with a view to closing the pirate base and thus protecting ships piracy.

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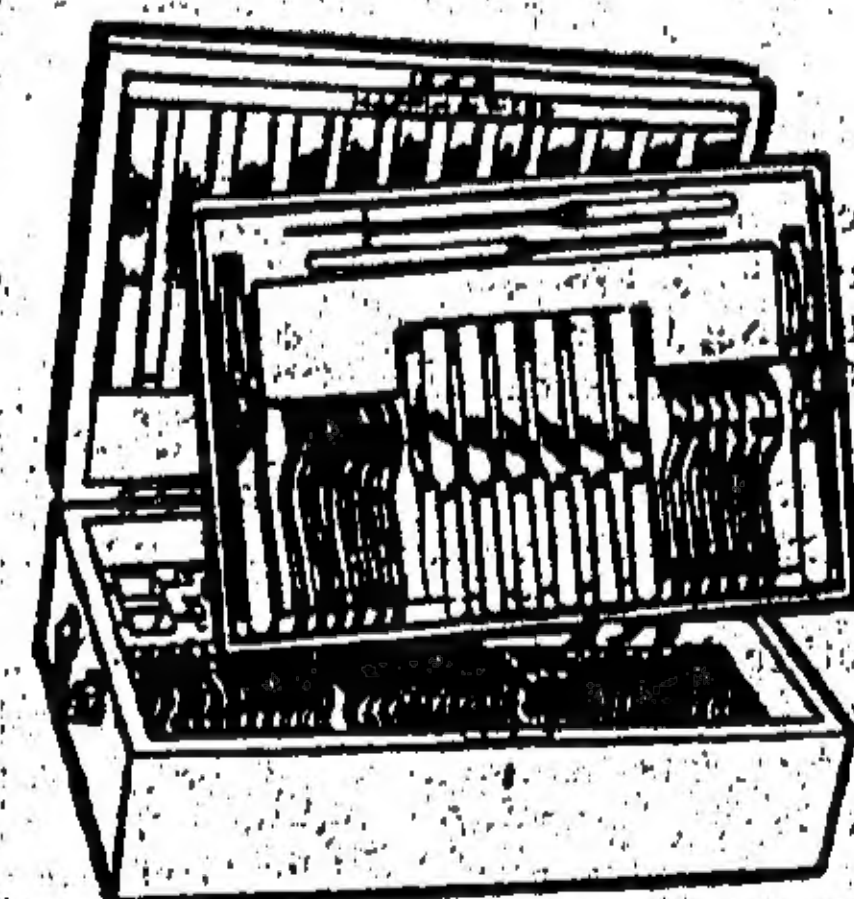
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P. A. GEDGE, Major, R.A.P.C., Treasury Chest Officer, His Majesty's Treasury Office, Hong Kong.

## CHINA UNDERWRITERS, LIMITED.

(INCORPORATED IN HONG KONG)

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Ninth Annual Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of China Underwriters, Limited, will be held at the Office of the Company, Hong Kong Bank Building, 4A, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong, on Thursday, the 25th day of May, 1933, at noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors and a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932, and of electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 18th May, 1933, to 25th May, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
**HERBERT B. STORT,**  
Managing Director,  
Hong Kong 15th May, 1933. [293]

## THE CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

**THE FIFTY-second Ordinary General Meeting** of Shareholders will be held at the Office of the undersigned on Thursday, the 25th May, 1933, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Agents, together with a statement of Accounts for the year ended the 31st December, 1932.

The following Resolutions will also be submitted to the Meeting—

(1) "That as from the 1st day of January, 1933, the remuneration of the Consulting Committee be increased from \$16,000 to \$24,000 per annum."

(2) "That as from the 1st day of January, 1933, the remuneration of the Auditors be raised from \$1,250 to \$1,500 per annum for each firm."

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 11th to the 25th May, 1933, both days inclusive.

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Entries close at 12 o'clock NOON on THURSDAY, 18th MAY, 1933.

By Order,  
**O. B. BROWN,**  
Secretary. [817]

## HONG KONG &amp; SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** that the Provisional Certificate No. 57/4909 dated Hong Kong, 14th January, 1918, for one share of this Bank numbered 68993 registered in the name of Mrs. Josephine Callahan, has been lost or stolen, and should this certificate not be produced to the Bank before 27th May, 1933, a new certificate for the share will be issued, and the aforesaid Provisional Certificate No. 57/4909 will be thereupon treated by this Corporation as Null and Void.

By Order of the Board of Directors,  
**L. N. MURPHY,**  
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## The Daily Press.

Hong Kong, May 18, 1933.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S  
APPEAL

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT's speech has the appearance of a final appeal to the nations of Europe to substitute wisdom and enlightened self-interest for unbridled savagery. It may be said that the United States having been the prime mover in "ruining the banking and currency systems of the world, including their own," were about due for a show of generosity. Moreover, it may be added that Mr. Roosevelt is still extremely cautious not to commit himself on the question of war debts. On the other hand, America has not been entirely ungenerous in the matter of moratoria, and, considering the amount spent on armaments, the European countries could perfectly well have afforded to pay, as Britain has paid, had they wished.

Leaving aside the embittered past, what is the position to-day? A Disarmament Conference is still in session seeking an all-round reduction—but not abolition—of the armed forces that are an intolerable economic burden, and inevitably lead to War. No sane individual in the world wants war, and no one wants to pay taxes for armaments. Yet despite the worldwide wish for agreement and settlement, a plan has only to be produced, for the delegates, and the hired publicists, to fall on it like a pack of wolves and tear it to pieces. No disarmament plan can be entirely fair and without sacrifice to interest and individuals, and these difficulties can always be exploited. They have been exploited ever since the Conference met. In the present mood there is not the least chance of success for any plan that human ingenuity can devise.

President Roosevelt's statement, for all its breadth and generosity, is full of strategic and tactical subtleties. The great weapons of 1933—radio, tanks and submarines, and

above all, air-craft, are weapons of attack. To talk about reducing offensive power and increasing defensive power is to give the experts a meal of lights and liver. They will rejoice in it, and bolt it in mouthfuls. Will any nation scrap air-craft, or submarines, poison gas or torpedoes? The record of the disarmament conferences is the answer.

The World Economic Conference will be called next month. No doubt America will be asked to "forgive us our debts"—but "forgive our debtors"? There is no sign of that on any side. Mention the word "disarmament" and a chorus will thunder, "that has nothing to with it," "our national honour is concerned," and "we yield nothing." Nor is there really much greater hope of a tariff truce. The special circumstances of each Power make general agreements almost impossible. The German-Austrian customs union was vetoed for political reasons, and it is most unlikely that the leading nations of Europe will make any extensive concessions to each other. Britain may agree to buy Danish butter (instead of Irish) but anything beyond that kind of minor bartering is only to be expected if a sudden torrent of goodwill springs, apparently from nowhere, and cleans the Augean stables of ancient enmities.

If, however, the Continental Powers are unable to respond to President Roosevelt's appeal, and his gesture of goodwill is received with the icy suspicion accorded to Mr. Hoover's moratorium, with recriminations for the past offences of his country, and with destructive criticism of his principles for disarmament, no doubt he will pursue an alternative policy. It is to the advantage of the whole world that the nations should co-operate, that the League should be more than a shadow, that armaments should be reduced, and tariffs modified. The hope of all who take more than the narrowest view of world affairs is that the Great Powers should stand together for peace and sanity on the earth. But if the leading nations of Europe cannot forget their animosities and embark on policies that must end in bankruptcy and war, those who stand outside that narrow orbit must seek to save something from the wreckage. Great Britain has accepted the hand of friendship held out by America. An Anglo-American agreement for commerce and defence is the alternative if the Disarmament Conference fails, and by its failure renders the solution of the major problems before the World Conference impossible. Great Britain has no wish to break old friendships and to withdraw the help that she is in a position to give in Europe. But no other course is possible when the Powers show a mad distrust of each other and in the furthering of immediate advantage are ready to return to the armed militarism that has one inevitable end.

## NEW ZEALAND

Fertile and Beautiful  
Islands

MR. S. T. WILLIAMSON'S  
RADIO TALK

Mr. S. T. Williamson's gave the following talk on New Zealand from the Studio yesterday evening.

Mr. Williamson said in part:—  
"To-night I have been asked to give listeners some of the main features regarding New Zealand."

The main Islands of New Zealand, a self-governing British Dominion of the South Pacific Ocean, lie between the parallels of 34° and 48° and the meridians of 168° and 179° east longitude, about 1,200 miles to the eastward of Australia. Including remote islands in the North and the Ross Dependency in the far south, the reach of New Zealand is from the tropics to Antarctica.

New Zealand has a remarkable diversity of landscape—plains, downs, and broad valleys, extensive tracts of hills and mountains, numerous rivers, and many lakes. At no part of even the largest plain (Canterbury), more than a hundred miles in length, with a width up to forty miles, is the landscape monotonous, for this spread of fertile country is traversed by many streams, and is flanked by the majestic Southern Alps, monumentally visible from all parts of the plain.

New Zealand's average annual share of sunshine may be stated broadly as 3,000 hours, which is about equal to Italy's and about 600 hours more than Great Britain.

## Population.

At the beginning of 1932 the population of New Zealand proper was 1,222,000. Altogether, about 94 per cent of the population is of British and Irish descent and 6 per cent Maori. That is why the Prince of Wales described New Zealand as "more British than Britain." The population is widely distributed, with a density of less than fifteen per square mile.

The birth-rate, which has shown a declining tendency, was 18.62 per 1,000 of population in 1931; the marriage rate was 6.79; the death-rate was 8.34 (the lowest in the world). The death-rate of infants under one year of age—32.15 per 1,000 births—was also the lowest in the world. Altogether the rate of expectation of life (63 years from birth of males and 65 for females) is higher in New Zealand than in any other country where trustworthy statistics are obtained.

The total area of the Dominion (excluding the Cook and other Pacific islands) is officially stated as 68,690,292 acres, of which 43,330,383 acres were in occupation in January, 1931.

New Zealand is mainly a farming country—particularly grassland farming. The development of agricultural and pastoral industry has gone along three main lines: (1) The pastoral occupation of very large areas of native tussock country, mainly in the South Island, for the production of wool; (2) the use of tillage implements to convert large areas of easily ploughable fertile land into cropping and grazing farms; (3) the clearing of large areas of subtropical rain forests of the North and South Islands, and the sowing of European grasses on the rich soil, thus making probably the world's best pastures without the use of a single tillage implement.

## Sheep Farming.

For decades the sheep held the supremacy in the value of exports (wool, meat, tallow, pelts and sausage-casings) by a large margin, but during recent years the cow has put in a challenge with butter and cheese, and is now giving the sheep a close run for first place. For the year ended March 31, 1932, the value of dairy-produce exported was about £14,400,000. The development of dairying during the past ten years is the principal feature of New Zealand farming. In this period the total output of dairy-produce has been doubled, and the annual average of butterfat yield per cow has risen from 152 lb. to 215 lb. by improvements in the management of stock and farms.

Farm animals—mainly the sheep and the cow—provide about 93 per cent of New Zealand's exports, which amounted to £24,496,211 for the year ended March 31, 1932. This was a drop of more than £6,000,000 from the tally of the previous year—a decline due chiefly to falls in the prices of dairy-produce and frozen meat.

## "The Sportsman's Paradise."

Rainbow and brown trout are abundant and big in numerous streams and lakes of the North and South Islands. Ten-pounders are reared in so frequently that the catch causes no surprise.

Quinnat salmon run in big shoals up snow-fed rivers on the east of the South Island. Usually the runs begin early in February.

Atlantic salmon are caught in Southland's Waikaiti River, Lake Taupo, and from the Waiau

## ★ News and Views ★

## Compound Interest!

"About 10,000,000 trees were planted last year, in connection with the George Washington bicentennial celebrations," according to Science News Letter. That seems enough to pay, with compound interest, for the mythical cherry tree.

## Over the Cups.

It is computed that the tea consumed in Great Britain last year totalled 435,000,000 lb., or 230,000,000 cups every day. Figures of the total number of words of scandal talked over the cups are not yet available.

## Thoroughness!

The Nazis, in their determination to rid Germany of anything savouring of Semitism, are nothing if not thorough. The persecution has even entered the field of the German telephone service.

German "hello girls" have now been ordered to stop using old Jewish names to facilitate the work of transmitting telegrams. The girls have been in the habit of saying D for David, J for Jacob, N for Nathan, S for Samuel, and Z for Zacharias.

In future they are to say D for Deutschland, N for National, S for Siegfried, J for Joachim, and Z for Zeppelin, although some of these words are not so satisfactory from the point of view of enunciation.—Exchange.

## Better Beer!

The South-Eastern Agricultural College at Wye has achieved the first steps towards better and all-British beer. It must come, however, as a shock to lovers of the Kent landscape to hear that the traditional oast house is threatened. It has been found to be woefully uneven in its drying of hops, and in addition is said to waste up to nine-tenths of its heat.

Admittedly there are modern oast houses which are more efficient, but the enthusiasts at Wye have more revolutionary aims. They want an entirely new kind of drying house, one in which the hops are continuously passed through and recharging is required when the eight hours' work of drying is over. This, it is said, will reduce the producer's cost and give the consumer a better-flavoured beer.

## Local and General

One case of meningitis was reported on Tuesday.

The young son of the Princess Der Ling (Mrs. Thaddeus C. White) died in the United States recently.

The Hon. Treasurer of the S.P.C.A. acknowledges with grateful thanks a donation of \$70, being the proceeds of a play organised by the pupils of Miss Lloyd, assisted by Mrs. Greig.

The Canton Insurance Office, Limited, are holding their 22nd ordinary meeting at the offices of the Company, No. 36, Pedder Street, on Thursday, May 25, at noon.

A certain "bloody" corps in Peiping has issued a statement saying that the corps has more than thirty members who will make it their duty to assassinate any person who dares to serve the Japanese or Manchukou.

Charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday for hawking without a licence, a young Chinese stated he committed the offence so that he could see his father who was in gaol. Defendant was fined \$4 or four days.

Mr. Bruce Jenkins, who has long won a reputation in Shanghai as a skilled amateur photographer, has been successful in having three of the four prints he submitted, accepted for exhibition at the Chicago World Fair, which opens next month.

Mr. Andrew F. Thomas, British professor in the Tokyo Bunri University rescued a Japanese woman from an attack by a ruffian in front of his residence at Fujimi-cho, Tokyo. He caught the man and handed him over to the police.

According to a Hangchow telegram received here, the Hangchow Mint, which was closed for some time past, will resume operations shortly on an order having been issued by the Central Government for its reorganisation as the No. 2 branch of the Shanghai Central Mint.

The International Tourist Committee of the Japanese Railways Department has decided to build a Tourist Hall in front of Tokyo Station. The building, having five floors and covering an area of 2,900 tatso, is expected to cost Yen 1,000,000.

## Poor Fish!

Two snippets of unnatural history. A 10-foot shark was caught in Singapore Harbour. Inside it were found three empty whisky bottles. The crew of the drifter Sedulus, while fishing off Barra Head, caught a large skate with the mark "XII" tattooed in red on its back. One does not mind the fish imitating us, but they might do it a little more flatteringly.

## "The Mayor Regrets."

When the cruiser Norfolk was paying a visit to Mexican waters Vice-Admiral Plunkett-Erle-Drax, Commander-in-Chief of the America and West Indies station, had a surprise. The ship anchored off Vera Cruz and the Vice-Admiral, expecting the customary call from the Mayor, had the necessary orders issued. But no Mayor came. Puzzled by this apparent breach of etiquette the Vice-Admiral awaited an explanation. It arrived later in the form of a telegram from the Mayor apologising for the omission and asking to be excused as he was in custody on a murder charge.

The recent intervention of the Federal forces in Vera Cruz had led to the disarming of the Aguaristas and the arrest of the Mayor for alleged complicity in a crime committed two years ago.

## Professor Einstein.

Professor Albert Einstein has accepted an offer to occupy the chair of Mathematical Physics at the College de France—a chair which has been specially created for him in view of his declaration that he cannot return to Germany.

The Chamber of Deputies last night voted unanimously in favour of a bill for this purpose presented by the Minister of National Education, M. Anatole de Monzie.

Professor Einstein, who was in Belgium at the time has already stated that he will be delighted to accept the hospitality thus offered him by France.

He has first, however, to carry out promises to lecture at Oxford, Madrid, and Princeton, U.S.A., and it is expected that he will take up his duties at the College de France towards the end of the year. He will be called upon to give 12 lectures a year. The number may seem small, but at the College de France it is a tradition that all lectures shall be original ones.

Damage to the extent of about \$1,000 was caused by a fire which occurred on the first floor of the Man On Pawnshop at Tsunwan.

The wedding will shortly take place between Mr. Hector Sullivan, of 3 Dragon's Terrace, and Miss Eileen Chu, of 4, Seen Keen Terrace.

A Council meeting of the Hong Kong International Amateur Swimming Association has been called for to-morrow evening at 8.30 p.m. at the Association's Board Room, 38 Queen's Road Central.

Tuesday's heat claimed two victims who collapsed and died while working. Yim Ki, a fireman on the s.s. Fat Shan, collapsed and died in the stoke hold, while Tse Pui Kai, a street hawk, died, in Aberdeen Street.

In a statement made to Chinese reporters, a spokesman of the Chinese Customs Administration declared that beginning from May 16, when the Sino-Japanese Tariff Agreement expires, all Japanese imports will be taxed according to the Chinese Government tariff schedule.

Light is thrown on the cosmopolitan nature of Paris by the report for the past year of the department of the Prefecture of Police, which is responsible for the surveillance of foreigners. It is revealed that, last year, no fewer than 47,990 aliens applied for the first time for identity cards. They were of 60 different nationalities, with 9,674 Italians heading the list, followed by 8,883 Poles.

Because parental consent was said to have been withheld from his marriage with a young woman of his choice, Tam Wai Chuen, still in his teens, living at 193, Hollywood Road, the younger son of a butcher, drank a bottle of poison in the presence of his mother, at the same time telling her the reason for his act. The attempt was made in the house yesterday morning, and the would-be suicide was in a serious state when rushed to Hospital.

Madame Manogue, the Belgian woman journalist noted for her dangerous trip alone into Jehol, left Peiping on April 29. Although she had planned to remain there for the summer, she was called back to Europe by the news of the serious illness of her husband.

## SUMMARY OF NEWS

## Local.

In response to the wishes of a large number of car owners, the Yaumatei Ferry Company is again extending the vehicular ferry service. From to-day the ferry will leave every 20 minutes between the hours of 7.20 a.m. and 10 p.m.

**Kowloon Supplement.**  
Two new solicitors were admitted to practice in Hong Kong yesterday. They were Mr. W. M. Brown and Mr. H. A. de B. Botelho. Page 6.

Edward Charlie Anderson, a Hong Kong born resident was sentenced to ten weeks' hard labour for obtaining \$110 from two Chinese by false pretences. It was stated he obtained the money through pretending that he would teach the complainants to drive a motor car. Page 7.

Yesterday was "Dogs' Day" at Central Magistracy, several owners being fined for letting their dogs abroad being muzzled. Page 6.

St. Joseph's field nine men, several of whom were last-minute inclusions from the spectators, in their match against South China yesterday. The latter won by 9 goals to 1 to win the league by one point from R.A. and the Borderers. Page 10.

After a number of unavoidable delays the Government is proceeding with the construction of a new Magistracy at Kowloon. It will be in Gascoigne Road near its junction with Nathan Road.

**Kowloon Supplement.**  
The Empire Fair Committee have forwarded an offer to occupy the exhibition of poultry, pigeons, and canaries. Page 2.

Father G. Byrne's weekly article on "Everyman's Psychology" appears on Page 1.

Mr. G. H. Potts, chairman of the Hong Kong Stock Exchange laid the foundation stone of the new nine storey building they will, when completed, house the Stock Exchange on its ground floor. Page 7.

According to official figures the Colony's imports during April amounted to \$68.8 million dollars as against 44 millions last April. Full details appear on Page 13.

**General.**  
The second instalment of the fascinating record by the Catholic Bishop of Hanoi of his journey by Air-mail from Marseilles to Saigon appears in this issue. The journey from Corfu to the Persian Gulf is described. Page 7.

The death is announced, in London, of Mr. T. M. Whitehead, former manager of the Chartered Bank of India. Page 9.

"America has boldly and openly cut her moorings and launched herself in full sail with courage and fine determination into new waters." Page 8.

In a lengthy speech, Herr Hitler defined Germany's standpoint on questions affect "not only Germany but the whole world." Full particulars will be found on Page 9.

A serious explosion occurred to-day at the West Cannock Colliery, one of the most famous in England, near Hednesford, Stafford. Page 9.

The Joint Parliamentary Committee which is considering the question of Indian constitution reform met in the King's Robing Room at the House of Lords. Page 9.

**Far East.**  
Latest cables on the situation in the North will be found on Page 9.

## MOTOR ACCIDENT

## NEW NORTON COMES TO GRIEF

A motor accident occurred near the Hongkong Hotel last night when motor cycle No. 1065—a new Norton—ridden by Chan Ki, a building contractor, collided with Hongkong Hotel Bus No. 51. Fortunately the cyclist received only slight injuries to the arms, while the light and handle bar of the machine were smashed.

The bus received only a few scratches in the rear mud-guard. The cause of the accident was apparently due to the failure of the cyclist to stop in time. At the time of the accident, he was going from East to West along Queen's Road and the bus, on receiving the signal "Go" from the policeman on duty, was coming up from Pedder Street into Queen's Road.

## KNITTING FACTORY SUED

## THREE CLAIMANTS SEEK \$4,000.

Four claims totalling \$4,000 against the Tai Hing Knitting Factory of Lo Lung Hang, Hung Hom, Kowloon, were heard by the Police Judge, Mr. E. E. Lind-sell at the Supreme Court yesterday.

All the claims were for \$1,000 each, and the plaintiffs were Lo Lan Shi of 277, Hennessy Road, who was represented by Mr. Horace Lo, Chung Kam Kui of the same address, and Lo Chan Shi of 49, Jerrold Street. The last two claimants were represented by Mr. F. C. E. Randall.

Judgment was given in favour of the plaintiffs.



## GERMANY'S STANDPOINT DEFINED

## Questions Affecting The World

## REICHSTAG APPROVES OF DISARMAMENT POLICY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

Berlin May 17.

WHEN HERR HITLER ENTERED THE OPERA HOUSE WHERE THE REICHSTAG WERE MEETING, HE WAS GREETED WITH THREE CHEERS FROM THE UNIFORMED NAZIS.

GIVING THE FACIST SALUTE, HERR HITLER BEGAN HIS SPEECH AT 3.08 P.M. HE DECLARED THAT HE HAD SUMMONED THE REICHSTAG IN ORDER TO DEFINE GERMANY'S STANDPOINT ON QUESTIONS AFFECTING NOT ONLY GERMANY BUT THE WHOLE WORLD.

ALL PROBLEMS CAUSING THE PRESENT UNREST WERE DUE TO A LACK OF UNITY IN THE PEACE TREATY WHICH FAILED TO SETTLE CLEARLY AND SENSIBLY THE MOST IMPORTANT QUESTIONS ARISING THEN. IT WAS THEREFORE NATURAL THAT THE IDEA OF REVISING THE TREATY WAS CONSTANTLY RECURRING. THE IDEA OF ASSISTING OTHER NATIONS BY ECONOMICALLY DESTROYING SIXTY-FIVE MILLION PEOPLE WAS SO ABSURD THAT NO ONE TO-DAY ESPOUSED IT.

CONTINUING, THE SPEAKER SAID THAT GERMANY HAD FULFILLED HER REPARATIONS OBLIGATIONS DESPITE THEIR SENSELESSNESS, AND THE FACT WAS FORGOTTEN THAT THEIR CONSEQUENCES WOULD BE SUICIDAL. THIS WAS SHOWN BY THE WORLD CRISIS.

## DEGRADATION TO GREAT PEOPLE

THE AIM OF THE NATIONAL GOVERNMENT WAS TO PREVENT COMMUNISM IN EUROPE. THE NAZI REVOLUTION CONTEMPLATED LEADING MILLIONS OF UNEMPLOYED BACK TO PROGRESSIVE LABOUR AND THE RESTORATION OF A STABLE AND AUTHORITATIVE GOVERNMENT. THEY REPUDIATED THE CHARGE OF "WAR GUILT" WHICH MEAN DEGRADATION TO A GREAT PEOPLE.

HERR HITLER EMPHASISED THE INJURIES INFLICTED ON GERMANY BY THE ALLIES AND DECLARED THAT THESE COULD NOT BE COMPENSATED BY SANCTIMONIOUS PHRASES. THE VERSAILLES TREATY IS NO SOLUTION TO THE WORLD'S PROBLEMS, YET NO GERMAN GOVERNMENT WILL DELIBERATELY BREAK THE ARRANGEMENT WITHOUT BEING ABLE TO SUBSTITUTE SOMETHING BETTER.

HITLER PROMISED THE COMPLETE DISBANDMENT OF THE AUXILIARY POLICE THIS YEAR AND REPUDIATED THE ASSUMPTION THAT THE NAZI STORM TROOPS CONSTITUTED MILITARY RESERVES AND HE SOLEMNLY DECLARED IN THE NAME OF GERMANY THAT GERMANY HAD DISARMED.

## GERMANY PREPARED

"GERMANY IS PREPARED TO DESTROY ALL ARMAMENTS IF THE OTHER NATIONS ARE PREPARED TO DO LIKEWISE," SAID HERR HITLER, BUT THE SPEAKER ADDED THAT THEY MUST INSIST ON EQUALITY. FURTHER, GERMANY WAS PREPARED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE SETTLEMENT OF THE POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC DIFFICULTIES OF THE WORLD IN AN UNSELFISH WAY.

FRENCH AND POLISH ARMAMENTS WERE NOT INSPIRED BY FEAR OF GERMANY AND GERMANY TO-DAY POSSESSED SUFFICIENT CHARACTER NOT TO WANT TO IMPOSE HERSELF WHERE SHE IS NOT WANTED.

"IN THOSE CIRCUMSTANCES IT WOULD BE DIFFICULT FOR US TO REMAIN IN THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS," HE CONCLUDED.

HERR HITLER FINISHED HIS SPEECH AT 4.01 P.M. THE REICHSTAG UNANIMOUSLY APPROVED OF IT AND ALSO THE GOVERNMENT'S POLICY FOR DISARMAMENT. THE MEETING CONCLUDED WITH SINGING, "DEUTSCHLAND ÜBER ALLES."

## PRESIDENT MACHADO

## APPROVES NEW SILVER COINAGE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

Havana, May 17.

PRESIDENT Machado has signed a decree providing for the coinage of six million dollars (silver) and an issue of silver certificates for the same amount which will be guaranteed by silver coinage and which is to be held by the Cuban Treasury.

An inspection party is being organized by the Kuangtung authorities to study conditions in Soviet Russia. Gen. Hsiang Han-ping, an army commander in the province who is reported to have been relieved of his post for political reasons, will head the party to Russia.

## DAVIS CUP TENNIS

## EASY WIN BY BRITAIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

LONDON, May 16.

BRITAIN EASILY WON THE TWO REMAINING SINGLES IN THE DAVIS CUP tie against Finland at Queen's Club to-day, neither Austin nor Perry conceding a set.

Perry beat Grahn 6-1, 6-2, 6-4; Austin beat Grotenfelt 6-0, 6-1, 6-4. Britain thus won by five matches to love.

armed forces of whatever a nature across their frontiers."

The President adds that if any strong nation refuses to join with genuine sincerity in these concerted efforts for political and economic peace, the civilized world will know where the responsibility for failure lies.

He urges all nations to translate their professed policies into action.

## PRES. ROOSEVELT'S PROPOSALS

## WELL RECEIVED BY BRITAIN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

LONDON, May 17.

"THIS is almost a historic day. America has boldly and openly cut her moorings and launched herself in full sail with courage and fine determination into new waters."

This was the Prime Minister's happily-phrased interpretation of President Roosevelt's world appeal and statement of policy. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald was addressing the Pilgrim's Club dinner in London to-night.

"Henceforth," he said, "America, by her own declaration cannot be indifferent to anything that concerns the peace of the world."

Rugby, May 17.

When President Roosevelt had addressed the rulers of all countries participating in the Disarmament or Economic Conference, a Foreign Office spokesman said that although the hour of arrival precludes an official British comment to-night, no doubt can exist that the spirit of the statement will meet with the warmest approval in this country, and that the proposals will be studied, with a genuine desire to co-operate effectively in obtaining the fulfilment of the President's hope "that peace may be assured through practical measures of disarmament and that all of us may carry to victory our common struggle against economic chaos."

In his message, the President points out that nations have, for this purpose, called two great world conferences and upon the decisions reached, the future of the whole world depends.

"The Economic Conference will meet soon and must come to its conclusions quickly. The world cannot await deliberations long delayed."

"The Conference must establish order in the place of the present chaos by the stabilization of currencies, by freeing the flow of world trade and by international action to raise the price levels."

"It must, in short, supplement individual domestic programmes for economic recovery by wise and considered international action."

As for the Disarmament Conference, the President says that confused purposes still clash dangerously, and a duty lies in bringing practical results through concerted action.

"I believe that an overwhelming majority of people feel obliged to retain excessive armaments because they fear some act of aggression against them and not because they themselves seek to be aggressors. There is a justification for this fear. Modern weapons of offence are vastly stronger than modern weapons of defence."

"If all nations will agree wholly to eliminate both the possession and

## SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, May 16.

FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

SPOT	18	18.3/16
FORWARD	18.1/16	16 1/2

the use of the weapons which make possible successful attack, defences automatically will become impregnable and the defence of every nation will become secure.

"There are three steps to be agreed upon in the present discussions."

"The first is to take at once the first definite step towards this objective, as broadly outlined in the MacDonald Plan."

"The second is to agree upon the time and the procedure for taking the following steps."

"The third is to agree that while the first and following steps are being taken, no nation shall increase its existing armaments over and above the limitations of treaty obligations."

"But, the peace of the world must be assured during the whole period of disarmament and I therefore propose a fourth step, concurrent with and wholly dependent on the fulfilment of these three proposals, and subject to existing treaty rights, namely, that all the nations of world should enter into a solemn and definite pact of non-aggression, that they should affirm the obligations they have assumed to limit and reduce their armaments, and provided these obligations are faithfully executed by all the signatory powers, individually agree that they will send no

(Continued on previous column.)

## QUESTIONS IN COMMONS

## ON ALLEGED INTERVIEW OF SIR FRANCIS LINDLEY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, May 17.

An interview allegedly given by Sir Francis Lindley in Canada in which he is reported to have sympathized with Japan's policy in regard to Manchuria led to several questions being asked in the House of Commons.

Sir John Simon replied that he was unable to comment on the matter, until he had had an opportunity of seeing Sir Francis Lindley, beyond saying that the British Government's policy had been clearly defined, namely, one of loyalty through the Assembly report on February 24.

He was unable to assume that the Ottawa newspaper report on something alleged to have been stated at Winnipeg was altogether quite accurate.

## OBITUARY

## MR. THOMAS H. WHITEHEAD

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 16.

THE death is announced, at the age of 62, of Mr. Thomas Henderson Whitehead, a former Hongkong bank manager.

Mr. Whitehead began his business career on the staff of the Chartered Bank of India in London in 1873. He started on foreign service eleven years later and between 1874 and 1902 was stationed in India, Ceylon, Singapore, Saigon, Haiphong, Hongkong, Manila, China, Japan, Canada, Mexico and America.

He was appointed manager of the Hongkong office of the Chartered Bank in 1883, and was in addition Superintendent of the Far Eastern branches from 1888. He was appointed London manager in 1902.

Widely travelled, Mr. Whitehead four times circled the world, and on arrival at St. Petersburg from Vladivostok in 1900, was interviewed by the Foreign Minister at his request.

The late Mr. Whitehead was prominently identified with political affairs in the Far East and on October 24 and 25, 1905, despatched the historic telegram to the Times regarding Russia's secret arrangement with China for the occupation of Port Arthur, Manchuria.

## MR. J. G. THOMSON

## DIES IN TRAGIC CIRCUMSTANCES

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

Tientsin, May 17.

The death is announced of Mr. J. G. Thomson, General Manager of the Peking-Mukden Railway.

One of the most popular residents of Tientsin, the late Mr. Thomson who had been in ill-health for the past few weeks was admitted to hospital about noon to-day when he appeared to be very cheerful. In the afternoon, however, a shot rang out from his room and he was later found dead.

## CHEAPER PETROL AT HOME

## A BIG REDUCTION ANNOUNCED

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, May 16.

A REDUCTION of twopenny-half-penny a gallon in the price of petrol in England takes effect as from to-morrow.

Oil shares on the Stock Exchange all experienced a fall, Burmahs dropping more than 4/ a share.

## GOVERNOR OF BARBADOS

## APPOINTMENT FOR MR. M. A. YOUNG

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, May 16.

MR. M. A. YOUNG, Chief Secretary for Palestine, has been appointed Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Barbados in succession to the late Mr. H. S. Newlands.

## REHABILITATION OF SILVER

## ECONOMIC REPRESENTATIVES AGREED

[REUTER'S AMERICAN SERVICE.]

WASHINGTON, May 17.

AN agreement on the question of rehabilitation of silver was reached after four hours conference between Economic representatives of the United States, Canada and Mexico, and although no announcement was made, it is learned that they have agreed on a halt to the debasing of silver coins, the substitution of silver for smaller currency, a return of silver to natural fineness in coins and silver employment in Central Bank reserves.

The rationing of silver production among producers with a limitation of the production of copper and lead was discussed but no agreement was arrived at.

## DISCONTINUATION OF TREATY

## ANGLO-JAPANESE TRADE STRUGGLE

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, May 16.

MR. WALTER RUNCIMAN, President of the Board of Trade, announced in the House of Commons to-day that twelve months' notice for the termination of the Anglo-Japanese treaty in British West Africa was being given forthwith.

This decision is the outcome of the serious Japanese competition with British goods.

## INSISTENCE FOR EQUALITY

## HERR HITLER'S SPEECH

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

BERLIN, May 18.

IT IS learned that Herr Hitler, in his statement to the Reichstag to-day, will emphasize Germany's equality claim, while expressing a desire for peace and readiness to compromise on disarmament consistently with Germany's position and honour as a first-class Power.

The speech, it is understood, will not contain any startling declaration. It will probably be very conciliatory, but very unyielding. Herr Hitler will insist upon the Germany claim to equality in all matters.

## PRINCE'S NEW PLANE

## USED FOR FIRST TIME ON LONG FLIGHT

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

LONDON, May 16.

THE Prince of Wales to-day flew from Windsor to Cardiff to hold an investiture of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

It was the first occasion he had made a long flight in his new Vickers Vimy machine.

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The Prince flew back to London to-night to keep a second public engagement.

## INDIAN REFORM

## ANOTHER MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, May 16.

THE Joint Parliamentary Committee which is considering the question of Indian constitution reform met again to-day in the King's Robing Room at the House of Lords.

The proceedings, as usual, were private. For the first time, members of the India delegation were present.

## EXPLOSION IN COAL MINE

## THREE KILLED, MANY INJURED.

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Rugby, May 17.

A SERIOUS explosion occurred to-day at the West Cannock Colliery, one of the most famous in England, near Hednesford, Stafford.

Over a hundred men were in the pit at the time of the disaster and three of the miners lost their lives. Many of the remainder were suffering from gas when they were brought to the surface by rescue parties, who did magnificent work.

## PRESS COMMENTS ON PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S APPEAL

## "ASSURED OF WHOLE HEARTED SUPPORT OF BRITISH EMPIRE"

## "SUPREME TEST FOR HITLER"

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY]

London, May 17.

British press comment on President Roosevelt's appeal unanimously commends the spirit, but is varied in the interpretation of its value as a decisive factor in the European issue.

The Times states that it is "the most stirring appeal to nations yet heard for concerted action in political and economic spheres."

"It is assured of wholehearted response in the British Empire, though the response cannot be expected so quickly from the nations nearer the Continental upheavals than Britain and the United States."

"We regard with utmost importance, President Roosevelt's re-statement of America's readiness to participate in a consultative pact, even if he is unable to commit the United States to armed intervention in defence of a victim of aggression," the paper states.

The News Chronicle (Liberal) is more definite. The paper states that the manifesto immediately ends American isolation, and more or less commits America to direct intervention in the event of a violation of the new pledge of peace.

The Daily Herald (Labour) interprets the declaration as "an appeal to common sense amidst the criminal talk of war."

## MANCHUKUO AND KALGAN

## CHINESE SCOFF AT TOKYO REPORT

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

PEKING, May 18.

CHINESE officials in Peking scoff openly at the Japanese reports that Kalgan, where Feng Yu Hsiang is staying, has announced its adherence to Manchukuo.

## EVACUATION OF TUNGSHAN

PEKING, May 17.

CHINESE troops began the evacuation of Tungshan on Monday, and are now concentrating at Lutai.

## CAPTURE IMMINENT

TIENTSIN, May 17.

A MESSAGE from Tungshan, received here to-day, states that Manchukuo scouts have been seen from Tungshan, and that the taking over of the town seems imminent.

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## HOME CRICKET RESULTS

### WEST INDIES RECORD THEIR FIRST WIN

#### SIX BATSMEN SCORE CENTURY: PAT HENDREN STILL GOING STRONG

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

London, May 16.

Results of the week-end cricket programme to hand show that Sussex, Gloucester and Middlesex have lost their 100 per cent. records and that the only team to enjoy that distinction now is Lancashire.

The West Indians who have had a lean season up till now recorded their first win, at the expense of Essex, and Surrey, Nottingham and Kent credited themselves with their first outright wins of the current season.

Six batsmen scored centuries while two got very near the magical three figures. Bowlers too, reaped their harvest of wickets and below we give the most noteworthy performances:—

Batting.	Bowling.
Hendren (Middlesex) v. Lancs. 162*	Mayer (Warwick) v. Hants. 6 for 51
Landridge, J. (Sussex) v. Glamorgan 140	Martindale (W. Indies) v. Essex 8 for 32
Watson (Lancs) v. Middlesex 139	Smith (Leicester) v. Notts 7 for 55
Townsend (Oxford) v. Worcester 133	Booth (Lancs) v. Middlesex 6 for 24
Da Costa (West Indies) v. Essex 106*	Nichols (Essex) v. W. Indies 6 for 31
Kilner (Warwick) v. Hants 102	Hammond (Gloucester) v. Surrey 6 for 88
Iddon (Lancs) v. Middlesex 98	Freeman (Kent) v. Somerset 5 for 37
Wyatt (Warwick) v. Hants 90	Astle (Leicester) v. Notts 5 for 60

\*Denotes not out.

#### ESSEX v. WEST INDIES

##### DA COSTA'S CENTURY.

After a series of defeats, the West Indians got into their stride at last and beat Essex at Leyton by the comfortable margin of 136 runs. O. C. Da Costa, who is described as the best all-rounder in the side, made a century in fine style, while E. A. Martindale and Nichols (Essex) both showed up prominently with the ball.

The tourists fared none too well in their first innings when they were all out for 103 runs, Nichols getting 6 wickets for 31 runs. Essex, however, did even worse, for Martindale (8 for 32), bowling on the top of his form, ran through the side and dismissed them for 86 runs.

The second innings saw the West Indians staging a recovery and they declared at 370 for 6 with Da Costa, 105 not out as top-scorer. Essex then went in again but their last wicket fell at 254, leaving the tourists winners by 133 runs.

The scores were:—  
West Indies, 1st innings ..... 103  
Nichols, 6 for 31.  
Essex, 1st innings ..... 86  
Martindale, 8 for 32.  
West Indies, 2nd innings (6 wickets, declared) ..... 370  
Da Costa, 105 not out.  
Essex, 2nd innings ..... 254.

#### WARWICK v. HAMPSHIRE

##### MAYER, KILNER AND WYATT.

For their comfortable win over Hampshire, Warwick have Mayer, Kilner and Wyatt to thank for these players, particularly Mayer, did extremely well.

The game took place at Birmingham and when the visitors won the toss, they quite naturally elected to bat. With Mayer in good form with the ball, however, they found run-getting rather difficult and were all out for 151 runs, Mayer getting 9 wickets for 51.

Warwick put up the big total of 315 in reply, Kilner being top-scorer with 102 while their skipper, R. E. S. Wyatt helped himself to 90 before being defeated.

Hampshire went in to bat for the second time with the unpleasant feeling that they were 164 runs in arrears. They were again unfortunate in finding Mayer (6 for 31) in good form and were dismissed for 131.

The scores were:—  
Hampshire, 1st innings ..... 161  
Mayer, 6 for 51.  
Warwick, 1st innings ..... 315  
Kilner, 102.  
Wyatt, 90.  
Hampshire, 2nd innings ..... 131  
Mayer, 6 for 31.

#### MIDDLESEX v. LANC.

##### CENTURIES FOR HENDREN AND WATSON.

Lancashire did well to beat Middlesex at Lord's by the big margin of 9 wickets.

The home team batted first and the spectators saw Hendren at his best when "Pat" rattled up 102 in quick time to help his side put

on 296. Hendren scored all round the wicket and was undefeated. Lancashire, however, put on a bigger total for with Watson scoring 139 and Oulton 98, they reached 336. Dunston, the "old-timer," took 5 wickets for 60 runs.

For some unaccountable reason, the Middlesex, batting fell to pieces in their second innings when they were skittled out for 69. Both returned the excellent figures of 6 for 24. Lancashire then went in to knock off the required runs for the loss of 1 wicket.

The scores were:—  
Middlesex, 1st innings ..... 299  
Hendren, 162.  
Lancashire, 1st innings ..... 336  
Watson, 139.  
Iddon, 98.  
Middlesex, 2nd innings ..... 62  
Booth, 6 for 24.  
Lancashire, 2nd innings (for 1 wicket) ..... 33

#### SURREY v. GLOUCESTER

##### HAMMOND BOWLS WELL.

A feature of this match was the good bowling of Wally Hammond who took 6 wickets for 68 runs in Surrey's first innings. In spite of this, however, Surrey won by three wickets.

Gloucester had first knock when they totalled 180 and in reply to this, Surrey hit up 238. In their second innings, Gloucester only managed 172, with the result that Surrey had no trouble in knocking off the required runs for the loss of only seven wickets.

The scores were:—  
Gloucester, 1st innings ..... 180  
Surrey, 1st innings ..... 238  
Hammond, 6 for 68.  
Gloucester, 2nd innings ..... 172  
Surrey, 2nd innings (for 7 wickets) ..... 123

#### LEICESTER v. NOTTS

##### ASTILL AND SMITH DO WELL.

At Leicester, Notts beat the home county on the first innings. Taking first innings, Notts made 238, Astill getting 5 wickets for 60 runs. In reply Leicester totalled 190.

The second innings saw Notts totalling 231, and this time bowling honours went to Smith who took 7 wickets for 55 runs. Time did not permit of the match being played to a finish and when Leicester had scored 111 for 4 stumps were drawn.

The scores were:—  
Notts, 1st innings ..... 238  
Astill, 5 for 60.  
Leicester, 1st innings ..... 190  
Notts, 2nd innings ..... 231  
Smith, 7 for 55.  
Leicester, 2nd innings (for 4 wickets) ..... 111

#### GLAMORGAN v. SUSSEX

##### LANGRIDGE GETS A HUNDRED.

At Cardiff Sussex beat Glamorgan on the first innings.

The Welsh county batted first and to their effort of 223, Sussex replied with 204 for 8 when their innings was declared closed. John Langridge distinguished himself with

## ARMY TENNIS

### "A" COY. LINCOLNS BEAT R.A.

The following were results of a tennis match played at Sham-shuipo on Tuesday, between "A" Coy. 1st Bn. The Lincolns Regt. and H.K.S. Brigade R.A., in the Kowloon Section of the Hong Kong Area Tennis League:—

"A" Coy. 1st Bn. Lincolns.	H.K.S. Brigade R.A.
Lieut. Roissier and Lieut. Douglas ..... 6	Lieut. Waring and Sgt. Pratt ..... 9
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Cpl. Clarke and Pte. Harper ..... 10	L/Sgt. Bryant and L/Sgt. Brown ..... 8
Cpl. Berriman and L/Cpl. Ridley ..... 1	Lieut. Waring and Sgt. Pratt ..... 6
Cpl. Clarke and Harper ..... 6	Lieut. Ropes and Sgt. Harding ..... 4
Lieut. Roissier and Lieut. Douglas ..... 1	L/Sgt. Bryant and L/Sgt. Brown ..... 6
Cpl. Berriman and L/Cpl. Ridley ..... 6	L/Sgt. Bryant and L/Sgt. Brown ..... 4
Cpl. Clarke and Pte. Harper ..... 1	Lieut. Waring and Sgt. Pratt ..... 6
Lieut. Roissier and Lieut. Douglas ..... 6	Lieut. Ropes and Sgt. Harding ..... 4
Total Sets ..... 5	Total Sets ..... 4

## SOUTH CHINA WINS THE LEAGUE

### FOOTBALL, FARCE AT CAROLINE HILL

What might have proved to be a good match turned out to be a farce at Caroline Hill yesterday, when South China played St. Joseph in their last match of the season. A good number of supporters of the Chinese team turned up on time only to find that only five of St. Joseph's regular players had bothered to turn up. After a delay of more than twenty minutes several spectators were persuaded to change and play for St. Joseph's, who fielded seven men when the game started and two more later on. The score at the interval was 4-1 against St. Joseph and the final whistle found them 9-1 behind.

South China had their full team on the ground, on time, and thus won the first division of the Football league, finishing one point ahead of R.A. and the Borderers, runners-up.

a well-played 140. In the second innings Glamorgan made 290, leaving Sussex 110 to win but time did not permit of this and when they had scored 98 without loss, stumps were drawn.

The scores were:—  
Glamorgan, 1st innings ..... 293  
Sussex, 1st innings (for 8 wickets, declared) ..... 304  
Glamorgan, 2nd innings ..... 290  
Sussex, 2nd innings (for 0 wickets) ..... 38

#### SOMERSET v. KENT

##### FREEMAN AGAIN.

The hop county made the trip to Taunton and thanks to some good bowling by Tich Freeman, had the satisfaction of coming away with full points.

Kent batted first and made 208 to which Somerset replied with 163. Freeman getting 5 wickets for 37 runs. In their second knock Kent made only 192 but Somerset did even worse and were dismissed for 110, leaving Kent winners by 52 runs.

The scores were:—  
Kent, 1st innings ..... 208  
Somerset, 1st innings ..... 163  
Freeman, 5 for 37.  
Kent, 2nd innings ..... 192  
Somerset, 2nd innings ..... 110

#### OXFORD v. WORCESTER

##### TOWNSEND GETS THREE FIGURES.

This match was played on the University ground and ended in a draw. The county batted first and to their total of 467 for 9 (declared), Oxford replied with 383, Townsend being the highest scorer with 133.

In their second innings Worcester declared at 129 for 2 and when the Dark Blues had made 93 for 3, stumps were drawn.

The scores were:—  
Worcester, 1st innings (9 wickets, declared) ..... 467  
Oxford, 1st innings ..... 383  
Townsend, 133.  
Worcester, 2nd innings (2 wickets, declared) ..... 139  
Oxford, 2nd innings (total for 3 wickets) ..... 92

At the request of the Mohammedan public, the Pan-chuan Lama will leave Suifu for Chihai in the very near future, according to a Chinese report received here. The Panchuan Lama has been travelling to the land of Tibet for some time during the last few months.

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#### A PLEASURE PARK

The construction of the dam in the Shing Mun Gorge has given rise to the suggestion that this huge artificial lake should be utilised for other purposes than water supply. One of the peculiarities of this Colony is that, although surrounded by water on all sides, the bathing places are confined to one or two remote spots which are out of reach for the man who does not possess a car. In view of this, it seems that the flooding of the Shing Mun Valley affords an unrivalled opportunity for the Government to open it to the general public for bathing, boating and fishing. A more beautiful site for a pleasure park could scarcely be found in the Colony and it would be a pity if the public were denied the privilege of making use of it. As a bathing resort, Shing Mun is ideal from every point of view, and a special bus service could easily be run along the excellent motor-road to the top of the Dam. Attractively built matabeds could be erected on the banks of the lake and the hillside laid out in the form of flowering terraces and shrubberies. For the planning of such a scheme we could scarcely imagine a more suitable person than Dr. G. H. C. Herkiots, who, with the assistance of Mr. Green, the Superintendent of Forestry, might design and lay out a charming botanical garden where various varieties of tropical and sub-tropical plants and flowers could be grown. Boating on the lake would, of course, be one of the many pleasures of which large numbers of the public would avail themselves, and we can visualise this natural park during the week-ends as presenting a very animated scene, indeed. Sundays spent at Shing Mun would certainly have all the dullness removed from them, and in the evenings, a military band might be engaged to play selections to the crowds on the terraces, and teas and light refreshments could be served in pavilions on the edge of the lake.

Alas! the above sounds too much like an Utopian dream to hold even the semblance of possibility, though after all, it surely is high time that something were done to provide bathing and other recreational facilities for the people of this Colony, and we can see no practical grounds for objection to such a scheme, since, by charging an entrance fee, as well as for the use of chairs and refreshments, the Government would soon recover the initial expenditure necessary for the lay-out of the park. It would be difficult to convince us that the use of this vast lake for bathing purposes would in any way pollute its waters, which in any case have to be filtered before they reach the mains. Inevitably rubbish of all kind, including carcasses and other unpleasant matter must be precipitated into a big reservoir. By stocking the lake with fish, including such species as carp and pike, a fisherman's paradise could be provided for those who are attracted by this form of sport; whilst, in addition, the water would be kept clean and free of insects and putrefaction.

The idea is not quite so fantastic as it may at first be practically-minded engineers and civil servants, who seldom consider it their business to give a thought to the pleasures of the public. The Government, however, would earn the gratitude of thousands of residents of the Colony by opening the Shing Mun Valley to the public, even if they declined to go to the extent we have suggested and convert it into a pleasure park. Last but not least, it would open up an additional attraction to visitors from Shanghai and other Far Eastern ports who are accustomed to spend the season (Continued at foot of next col.)

### THE TREES IN NATHAN ROAD

#### HOW THE FORESTRY DEPARTMENT LOOKS AFTER THEM

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

How many people, I wonder, have even thought about the trees that lend such grace to Nathan Road and makes it so pleasant to drive along in the cool of the evening.

I often wondered why the trees are cut so drastically from time to time and to satisfy my curiosity, I began making enquiries. The answer to the above question was that if the branches were allowed to grow and spread, they would be very easily damaged by typhoon and strong winds; there have been occasions when trees were lifted right off the ground during a gale and the result was not only damage to the tree itself, but the ground also suffered. Another reason was that large trees prevented light from getting into the houses nearby—when cut they were not so bad.

That is as the case may be. I know that there are some people who are all for letting the trees grow as much as they like for they provide very pleasant shelter from the rays of the sun. Along Nathan Road, as in other places, it is not unusual to see a crowd of Chinese amahs and their little charges sitting beneath the shade of one of these large trees, while the sight of a tired coolie sleeping or resting in one of these shady spots is not an uncommon picture.

I am going to drift from the subject of this article for a little as it is necessary, in order to emphasise what a difference trees make to the beauty of a place.

Some years ago, Wong Nei Cheong Road was considered to be one of the best out of town roads in which to stay. That was before the advent of the tram and bus. Then, one side of the road was lined with medium-sized trees and these not only gave the place a country appearance, but they also afforded the houses in that locality a very pleasant protection from the afternoon sun which shone right into the front rooms of the houses facing Hanny Valley.

With the increase of traffic, however, it was found necessary to cut

these trees down in order to widen the road with the result that the place now looks very bare—just like a road in the heart of a city. It is to be hoped, therefore, that the trees in Nathan Road will be left well alone lest the place should also lose its beauty.

As for the trees themselves, they are mostly of two types—Candle-nut trees (*Aleurites Triloba*) and the tree commonly known as the Flame of The Forest, a South American tree whose bright red flowers are so familiar to us. Regarding the former it might be of interest to know that it is a tree widely cultivated in tropical and sub-tropical countries for its fruit which is about the size of a walnut and contains several seeds which are rich in oil. The oil is extracted and used for food and light; it is known in India as *kekum*. In the Sandwich Islands the nuts are strung upon strips of wood and used as torches.

I believe the Malays are also very fond of the nut and use it to prepare several of their choice dishes. The trees in Nathan Road are now in full fruit and these nuts from a distance look very much like peaches. They may be had for the asking, in fact I have seen boys using them as missiles when playing at war.

The candle-nut tree grows to quite a great height if allowed to do so, but in Nathan Road they are constantly cut and their uniform height adds considerably to their beauty. The flower is rather like a powder-puff from a distance but as I have never taken one up in my hand, I must plead ignorance as to how they appear upon closer examination.

So far as I was able to ascertain, there is no scheme afoot to do away with the Nathan Road trees. Although not a Kowloon resident, I for one hope that they will not be cut down for without them Nathan Road will not and can not be what it is now—one of the most beautiful roads on the mainland and in the Colony.

### EUROPEAN SENTENCED FOR FALSE PRETENCES

#### Fee for Driving Lessons

#### TEN WEEKS' HARD LABOUR

Edward Charlie Anderson, a Hong Kong-born resident was charged before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday with obtaining \$110 by false pretences from Lo Fung Sheung and Lo Young Kwong on December 18, 1932.

According to Detective Sergeant Lamont, who prosecuted, the defendant represented himself to the two complainants to be an employee of Wallace Harper Motor-Car Company. He offered to teach the complainants, who had just arrived from Canton, to drive a motor-car for \$150. The first complainant paid him \$50 and the second \$60, but after the money was handed over, the defendant disappeared.

The defendant also promised to take out licences for the complainants and to help them to obtain jobs.

Nothing more was heard about the defendant until Tuesday when he was seen by the first complainant coming off the *Naumai Ferry*. Defendant pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to 10 weeks' hard labour.

### KOWLOON'S NEW MAGISTRACY

#### BUILDING TO START FORTHWITH

After a number of unavoidable delays the Government is now proceeding at once with the construction of a new magistracy at Kowloon. Provision had been made in the estimates, but that, alas, is not an absolute guarantee of action and the case of the Central British School will come to mind. The new court is to be, we understand, in Gascoigne Road, near its junction with Nathan Road, a central and convenient site.

The design gives adequate accommodation for all sides of the business of the court and it not devoid of architectural distinction.

"And it was only the other day" says an old resident, "that the building at is superseding was the New Magistracy."

A Chinese woman was fined \$300 by Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday for keeping an unregistered *mu-tai*. Defendant denied that the girl was a *mu-tai* and said she received a monthly wage. It was given in evidence, however, that although the girl was given \$1.50 every month by her master, she had to hand over all the money to her mistress.

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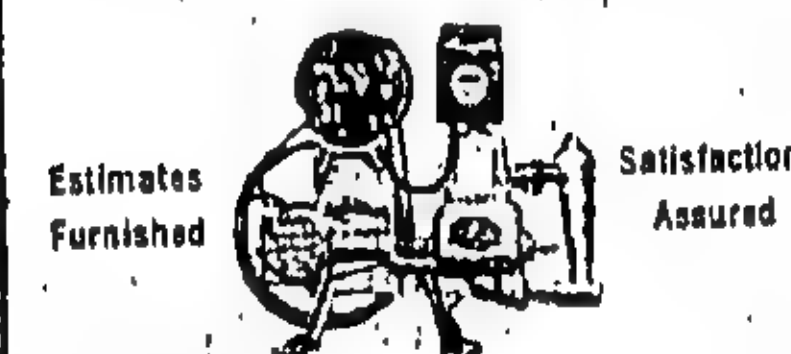
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1. There will be no entrance fee, and no competition.
2. All birds intended for exhibit will be examined before they will be allowed to be shown. Birds with the slightest sign of sickness will be rejected.
3. All birds must reach the pavilion at the junction of Nathan and Salisbury Roads not later than 10 a.m. on Wednesday, May 24, accompanied by a note stating clearly whether the birds are for exhibit and/or for sale.
4. Birds for exhibit may not be removed until after the Fair on Saturday, May 27, at 8 p.m. Those for sale can be removed immediately after the birds have been paid for. Chits will not be accepted.
5. Sanitary coops, thoroughly disinfected before use, will be supplied. Every precaution will be taken that immediately after the close of the Opening Day's Fair and before the re-opening on the following three days, all coops and birds will be slightly sprayed with disinfectant. The birds will be properly fed, watered and cared for during the period of the Fair.
6. In the cases of Pigeons and Canaries no coops or cages will be supplied and exhibitors will be required to bring their birds in their own cages or coops.
7. The Fair Committee will exercise all reasonable care and attention of all birds exhibited at the Fair but they will not assume any responsibility for loss (or death during the Fair) other than by fire or theft. As a protective measure, however, the Organizing Committee have taken out an insurance policy covering theft and fire.

### THE EMPIRE FAIR

OVER \$2,000 SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED

Since the last list of donations to the expenses of the British Empire Fair was published a few days ago, the following further contributions have been received, bringing the total subscribed to \$2,165.00.

The Hong Kong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	\$100
The Canton Insurance Office, Ltd.	100
The Hong Kong and China Gas Co., Ltd.	50
Messrs. John D. Hutchison and Co.	50
Messrs. On Lok Yuen Co., Ltd.	50
The China Kilmware Mfg. Co., Ltd.	30
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The China Paint Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	25
The New Zealand Perpetual Forests, Ltd.	25
The Amoy Canning Corporation	25

### BOWLS

CRAIGENGOWER TEAMS FOR SATURDAY

The following will represent the Craigengower Cricket Club in their Lawn Bowls League Fixtures on Saturday, May 20:-

First team against Civil Service Cricket Club, C.C.C. Green, 2.30 p.m.: L. E. Lanmet, J. Cavanagh, D. Rumjahn, B. W. Bradbury (Skip); G. L. Buchanan, C. S. Summons, H. Beer, R. Bass (Skip); W. T. Brightman, A. E. Condes, E. el Arculli, U. M. Omar (Skip).

Second team against Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, Tai Koo Green, 3.30 p.m.: G. Duncan, E. K. Modi, E. Tuck, W. Gill (Skip); D. K. Kharras, J. S. Landolt, Y. Abbas, A. A. Razack (Skip); J. Johnston, H. Milton, W. Ward, W. V. Field (Skip).

Reserves: M. J. Medina, E. O. Barry.

### STOWAWAY FINED

For stowing away from Dingapore to Hong Kong on the B.L. steamer Tilawa, a Malay, B. Ali, was fined \$30 by Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistrate yesterday. It was stated that defendant was found on board the ship's officers after the vessel had left Singapore, and when questioned, by them he said he had gone aboard to look for some friends. He was given the opportunity to find them, but could not discover anybody on the ship who knew him.

### GOLF

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Bye.  
L. Goldman (11) v. W. Pitter-dreigh (17).  
J. M. Wilson (17) v. C. W. F. Booker (6).  
G. W. Tate (9) v. E. M. Hanlon (17).  
A. McKeller (8) v. J. Hutchison (18).  
S. T. Butler (10) v. C. Whitehead (18).  
J. Harrop (17) v. A. H. McBride (17).  
O. Mycock (15) v. W. J. Shenton (15).  
E. D. Matthews (8) v. S. E. Edgar (18).  
C. E. Moore (17) v. A. Brooks-bank (18).  
A. D. Humphreys (10) v. T. C. Barclay (18).  
G. T. May (17) v. G. Milne (11).  
A. E. Clark (14) v. A. MacIndoe (18).  
A. C. Young (17) v. G. F. Rees (X).

**Rules and Advice.**  
Please check handicaps. Fanning handicaps above six deduct one stroke.  
First named player responsible for arranging match.  
Unless agreed otherwise matches must be played on last day given for each round.  
All matches to be played to a finish if light admits. After 18th hole, strokes to be in first round.  
Happy Valley Sub-Committee May: (1) alter any handicap during competition; (2) extend dates for rounds in case of bad weather.  
Winners should enter up results.  
First round to be played by May 23, second by June 11, third by June 23, fourth by July 9, fifth by July 23, semi-final by August 6, final by August 10.

### OUR LONDON AIR-MAIL LETTER

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would return the compliment and enter into the sphere of religion. Someone might have added that the Church has been a generous patroness of art in the past, but the architects get most of the commissions nowadays.

### THE QUEEN'S PORTRAIT

The Queen has bought a portrait of herself. It is the one that hangs in the Royal Academy.  
Mr. Arthur T. Nowell, of St. Mary Abbot's Place, London, is the artist, and with magical brush he has brought out on his canvas the Queen that Britain knows so well—that sympathetic face with the kindly, understanding eyes and the majestic poise of the head.  
In his portrait the Queen wears a shimmering coronet and drooping earrings. Round her throat, entwined again and again is a magnificent rope of pearls, arresting in its white simplicity.

### KING FEISUL'S VISIT

King Feisul of Iraq will pay an official visit to London in June. He will be the guest of the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace. According to present arrangements King Feisul will arrive in London on Tuesday, June 20, and will be entertained at a state banquet at the palace on that evening. He will remain at Buckingham Palace two days, and afterwards will make a stay of probably some weeks at a London hotel.

King Feisul will, it is stated in Baghdad, be accompanied by at least two members of his Cabinet. The Ministers are believed to be the Minister for Economics and Communications, Rustam Haider Bey, and the Foreign Minister, Nuri Paasha Said. The former was for many years the King's private secretary, and in that capacity has visited London previously. Nuri Paasha is also well-known in London, as it was under his Premiership that Iraq became an independent State last September. He is a brother-in-law of Jafar Paasha al-Akari, the Iraqi Minister in London.

Public men in the new Iraq are expected to lead strenuous lives, if the experience of Nuri Paasha is any criterion. Premier up till last November, he was later appointed Iraqi Minister in Geneva, was shortly afterwards moved to Rome, and is now back in Baghdad with Cabinet rank.

The Court of Common Council of the City of London, at its meeting at Guildhall yesterday, decided to extend an invitation to King Feisul to accept an address of welcome in a gold box.

Before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistrate yesterday, two Chinese boys were charged with the theft of 4 lbs. of butter from Whitfield Barracks. The magistrate held that there was no evidence against the second defendant (represented by Mr. P. T. Kemble) and discharged him while the first defendant was given eight strokes.

### NEW ZEALAND

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flows), and tributary streams of Te Anau.  
Swordfish, mako shark, and other big-game fish have drawn famous sportsmen from all parts of the world to the northern coastal waters of New Zealand.

The producers in New Zealand fully recognise the importance of this Far Eastern market and they are now concentrating on the development of trade in this direction.

A number of exhibits covering a fairly wide range of New Zealand products will be on view in the New Zealand Section of the Empire Fair, and all information regarding these exhibits will be made available.

New Zealand Government Posters, folders giving detailed information will also be available at the Fair for those likely to be interested in a trip to this "Brighter Britain of the South."

This talk has been asked for in connection with the British Empire Fair Hong Kong which is to be held at the Peninsula Hotel on May 24 to 27. The New Zealand Section will be housed on the large verandah on the first floor of the Peninsula Hotel and a substantial range of New Zealand products will be shown.

### HOME GOLF

Army Championship  
at Deal

HIGH SCORES IN BAD  
CONDITIONS

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, April 25.  
The Prince of Wales was a competitor in the Army championship meeting which began on the Royal Cinque Ports course at Deal yesterday. He took part in the competition for the Black Watch medal, but failed to find his best form. Taking 45 for the first nine holes, he played on to the 13th, from which point he did not keep his card.

Two long days of golf will have been completed before the championship is settled. The first competitor yesterday drove off at 7.50 a.m., and the last did not begin his round until ten hours later.

The weather conditions were not good, and the scores were high. Lt. J. E. Armstrong went round in 79, and it was not until late in the afternoon that he lost the lead to Capt. J. T. Bretherton, who, after a flying start of 3, 3, 4, 3, returned a card of 77. Bretherton was out in 34, but had no luck on the green coming home. Lt. N. R. Reeves, the holder, finished in 81, reaching the turn in 38, but also experiencing trouble on the homeward journey.

Among former holders of the title, Lt. A. C. Gore returned 83 and Capt. G. A. Moxon 84. Gore took 7 at the 16th, where he was bunkered and took two shots to recover. Captain A. C. Giles, who was out in 26, required 7 strokes at the last hole, where he topped his second shot into a ditch, but he had a return of 81.

The late starters finished their rounds in failing light, and it was therefore an excellent performance by Lt. H. S. Mitchell to return 70, which gave him the lead at the end of the first round. Mitchell had a fine outward half of 35 and did 41

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CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination to damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before 6th June, 1933, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,  
Hong Kong, 17th May, 1933. [527]

### PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK.

THE Motor Vessel  
"GINGALESE PRINCE"  
having arrived from the above Port on 16th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Monday, 22nd instant at 10 a.m.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd instant will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hong Kong, 16th May, 1933. [524]

for the homeward journey. He played excellent golf, except that he was trapped in a bunker at the thirteenth, which cost him 5.

Leaders in Championship.

Lt. H. S. Mitchell ..... 78

Capt. J. T. Bretherton ..... 77

Lt. J. E. Armstrong ..... 79

Lt. J. J. M. Kenrick ..... 79

Major E. B. Hawkins ..... 79

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and Godown Company's godowns at

Kowloon, where Delivery may be

obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Optional Cargo will not be landed

here, unless Notice has been given 48

hours prior to vessel's arrival, but carried

on from port to port to the final port of

call to which the option extends.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Goods remaining undelivered after the

Thursday, 25th May, will be subject to

Rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged

Goods are to be left in the Godowns,

where they will be examined on Tuesday,

23rd May, at 10 a.m. by our Surveyors,

Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS.

To comply with the General Bonded

Warehouse Regulations, consignees must

have a Revenue Officer in attendance

when damaged dutiable goods are

examined.

All Claims must reach us before the

Friday, 18th June, 1933, or they will

not be recognized.

No Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JEBSEN & CO.,  
Agents.

Hong Kong, 16th May, 1933. [528]

Hour K'ang, 16th May, 1933.

CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES

MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEE NOTICE

S.S. "MIN"

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON

FRIDAY, 17th MAY, 1933.

FROM DUNKIRK, ANTWERP

LONDON & VIA SHANGHAI.

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that their Goods with exception of

Opium, Treasure and Valuables are

being landed and placed at their risk

in the Godowns of the Hong Kong and

Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd.,

Kowloon, where Delivery can be obtained

as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared within 7 Days

including date of arrival, will be subject

to rent.

All Claims must be sent to the Un-

derwriter before the Monday, the

22nd May, 1933, or they will not be

recognized.

Damaged Packages must be left in

the Godowns for Examination by the

Consignees and the Company's Surveyors

Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS at 10 a.m.

on Thursday, the 18th May, 1933.

Consignees must have a Revenue

Officer in attendance when damaged

dutiable goods are examined by the

Company's Surveyors.

No Claims will be admitted after the

Goods have left the Godowns.



## DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

HONG KONG STOCK  
EXCHANGE.SHAREBROKERS'  
ASSOCIATION.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17.				WEDNESDAY, MAY 17.			
Buyers	Sellers	Value	Volume	Buyers	Sellers	Value	Volume
<b>Banks</b>							
\$1,730	1,725	33		H.K. Banks		\$1,730	
212 1/2	212 1/2			Do. (London)		212 1/2	
224 1/2	224 1/2			Chartered Banks		224 1/2	
29 1/2	29 1/2			Morantile Bks. "A"		29 1/2	
				Do. "O"		29 1/2	
				Bank of East Asia	\$7.40		
				N. C. & S. Banks			
				Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.			
				Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.			
				Do. Prof. S.			
<b>Insurance</b>							
				Canton Insurance		\$1,490	
				Underwriters		\$2	
				Union Insurance	\$620		
\$527 1/2				China Fire		\$620	
\$250				H.K. Fire		\$250	
				International Assoc. S.			
<b>Shipping</b>							
				Douglas		\$34	
				Steamboats		\$32	
\$8				Indos (pref.)		\$30	
				Do. (def.)		\$30	
				Shells	46 1/2		
				Waterways		\$15	
<b>Mining</b>							
\$26 1/2				Beugues	\$38 1/2		
				Venezuela Gold Flds.	\$3 1/2		
				Kailans		25 1/2	
				Langkats (single) S.		\$12	
				Explorations		\$2 1/2	
				Shanghai Loans S.		\$4 1/2	
\$9.50				Raubas		\$6.50	
				Tronoh Mines		13 1/2	
				Bonguet Explorations			
				Books, Wharves, etc.			
				H.K. & K. Wharves			
				Provident (old)		\$4	
				Do. (new)		\$1 1/2	
\$1.30				H.K. & W. Docks		\$1 1/2	
				S. China Motors "A"		\$10	
				Do. "B"		\$8	
				Shanghai Docks S.		\$1.34	
				New Engineering S.		\$8	
				Hongkew		\$320	
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings			
				H.K. Hotels	\$7.15		
\$7 1/4				Shanghai Land S.		\$7 1/2	
				Metropolitan Land		\$14	
\$7 1/2				H.K. Realities		\$7 1/2	
				China Do.		\$14	
				Do. Debentures S.		\$137	
				Humphreys		\$13 1/2	
				Asia Realities "A" S.		\$140	
				Do. "B" S.		\$30	
\$95				Chinese Estates			
<b>Cotton Mills</b>							
\$13.75				Ewo	\$13.65		
				Shai Cotton		\$75	
				Zong Sings		\$14	
				Wing On Textile (S.)		\$90	
<b>Public Utilities</b>							
\$21 1/2				Tramways		\$21.85	
				Peak Trams (old)		\$16	
				Do. (new)		\$8	
				Star Ferries	\$91		
				Yaumati Ferries (old)	\$99 1/2		
				Do. (new)			
				China Lights (old)	\$13.30		
\$11.40				H.K. Electric		\$11 1/2	
\$72 1/2				Macao do.		\$13	
				Sandakan Lights		\$104	
\$97 1/2				Telephones		\$22	
				China Buses S.		\$1 1/2	
				Tramways		\$7 1/2	
				Do. (prof.)			
<b>Industrials</b>							
				Malabar Sugars		\$15	
				Labcock, (ord.) S.		\$10	
				Margreth (ord.) S.		\$16	
				Canton Iron		\$2	
				Cements (comb.)	\$7.85	\$8.10	
				Do. (old)		\$8 1/2	
				Do. (new)		\$11 1/2	
\$1.40				Ropes		\$9	
				Ch. Agriculture			
<b>Miscellaneous</b>							
\$37 1/2				Dairy Farms	\$27 1/2		
				Der A. Wings			
				Amusements		\$12	
				Ch. Entertainment		\$12	
\$2.80				Constructions (old)		\$12	
				Do. (new)		\$12	
				Lane Crawford	\$4 1/2		
				Mackintosh		\$4 1/2	
				Nanyang Tobacco		\$4 1/2	
				Sincere		\$15 1/2	
				Watsons	\$9 1/2		
				Wm. Powell		\$2	
				M. Greyhound		\$2	
				S. C. Enterprises		\$2	
				United Theatres S.		\$2	
				R. Ind. G. S. Bonds		\$2 1/2	
				H.K. Gov. Loans		\$2 1/2	
				Wallace Harper		\$2	
				China Sports Ltd.		\$2	
				H.K. Wing Co.		\$2 1/2	
				Shai Do.		\$1 1/2	

## MONEY AND MARKETS

## HONG KONG STOCK MARKET

## YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Quotations for the investment issues were well maintained this morning, with fair amount of enquiries, but the smaller issues eased off to some extent, notably Cements and Hotels, which were on offer at lower rates than yesterday's, specially for forward delivery.

**Sales.**  
Hong Kong Banks \$1,725/1,732 1/2.  
Providents (Old), \$3.95.  
Hong Kong Trams \$2 1/2.  
Lane, Crawfords, \$4.  
H.K. Government Loans 2 1/2 per cent. Premium.

**Buyers.**  
Hong Kong Banks \$1,730.  
Bank of East Asia \$6.  
Union Insurance \$53 1/2.  
H.K. Fire Insurance \$250.  
Indo-China (Pref.) \$20.  
Bonguet Consolidated \$27 1/2.  
Raubas \$9.60.

**Providents (New) \$1.30.**  
Hong Kong Lands \$7 1/2.  
Hong Kong Realities \$7 1/2.  
Chinese Estates \$9.  
Ewo Cottons Sh. \$13.  
Hong Kong Trams \$2 1/2.  
China Lights (New) \$11.40.  
Hong Kong Electric \$72 1/2.  
Telephones \$27 1/2.  
Cements (Old) \$6 1/2.  
Cements (New) \$1.40.  
Dairy Farms \$27 1/2.  
Lane, Crawfords \$4.  
Constructions (Old) \$2.80.  
H.K. Government Loans 2 1/2 per cent. premium.

**Sellers.**  
Hong Kong Steamboats \$22.  
Providents (Old) \$4.

## SHANGHAI SHARE MARKET

## CARROLL BROS. QUOTATIONS

Messrs Carroll Bros. have received the following cabled quotations from Shanghai:

China Finance Corp. \$ 5.00  
International Investment Trust Co. 9.80  
Cathay Land 16.50  
Yangtze Finance Co. 9.00  
International Assurance Co. 5.10  
China Realty 14.50  
Shanghai Land Investment Co. 31.00  
New Engineering & Ship Building Works (Ord.) 8.00  
Shanghai Dock & Engineering Co. 135.50  
Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co. 324.00  
Shanghai Electric Construction Co. 46.00  
Ewo Cotton Mills, Ltd. 14.00  
Shanghai Cotton Manufacturing Co. 97.50  
All prices are in Shanghai dollars.

## CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LTD.

## INTERIM 1932 DIVIDENDS, \$18 PER SHARE

At the fifty-second ordinary meeting of shareholders of the above Company, to be held at the offices of the Company, on Thursday, the 25th May, at noon, the General Agents and Consulting Committee will submit the following report:

**1931 Account.**—After payment of an Interim Dividend of \$18 per share on 19th May, 1932, this Account shows a surplus of \$1,236,684.94, and it is recommended that this sum be appropriated as follows:

To pay a final dividend of \$37 per share \$ 370,000.00  
To pay an "Exchange" Bonus of \$5 per share 50,000.00  
To add to Reinsurance Fund 338,684.94  
To add to Underwriting Suspense Account to close the year 1931 490,000.00  
**\$1,236,684.94**

**1932 Account.**—The amount standing at credit of this Account is \$2,152,160.49. Out of this sum, it is further recommended that an Interim Dividend of \$18 per share be paid, absorbing \$180,000.00, the balance of \$1,972,160.49 being carried forward.

**Consulting Committee.**—Since the last Meeting Mr. H. (Humphreys) resigned his seat, on leaving the Colony, the vacancy thus caused being filled by the appointment of Mr. D. E. Clark.  
Sir Robert Ho Tung, Messrs D. E. Clark, A. H. Compton, L. Dunbar, T. E. Pearce, J. H. Taggart and A. H. White now retire but, being eligible, offer themselves for re-election.

## HONG KONG TRADE IN APRIL

## HEAVY FALL IN IMPORTS

According to an official report issued by the Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department, total imports of merchandise into the Colony during the month of April, 1933 amounted to a declared value of \$39.8 millions (\$2.6 millions) as compared with \$31.2 millions (\$2.8 millions) in April of 1932, while exports totalled \$33.1 millions (\$2.3 millions) as against \$44.0 millions (\$2.7 millions).

For the first four months of 1933, imports totalled \$172.7 millions (\$11.1 millions) as compared with \$331.9 millions (\$15.6 millions) in the corresponding period of 1932, while exports were valued at \$140.5 millions (\$9.0 millions) as compared with \$171.0 millions (\$11.5 millions) in the same period.

The following table shows comparative figures of Imports and Exports of merchandise and treasure in the months of April, 1933 and 1932:

IMPORTS			
	1933	1932	
Merchandise	\$30,646	\$61,164	
Treasure	\$30	\$6,027	
Total	\$30,676	\$67,191	

EXPORTS			
	1933	1932	
Merchandise	\$33,121	\$44,000	
Treasure	\$531	\$12,485	
Total	\$33,652	\$56,485	

## MONTHLY FLUCTUATIONS

Since April of 1932 total imports of merchandise into Hong Kong have fluctuated from the lowest dollar value (\$36.0 millions) in January, 1932 to the highest (\$12.1 millions) in April, 1932, while exports fluctuated from \$31.3 millions in January, 1932 to \$44.0 millions in April, 1932.

The figures are given below with the sterling equivalents, at average rates of exchange, in brackets:

	Imports	Exports
Apr.	\$61,154 (\$2,706)	\$44,030 (\$2,706)
May	\$33,440 (\$2,300)	\$37,504 (\$2,300)
June	\$30,066 (\$2,300)	\$33,648 (\$2,300)
July	\$23,144 (\$2,111)	\$23,111 (\$2,111)
August	\$22,827 (\$2,118)	\$22,118 (\$2,118)
September	\$40,515 (\$4,139)	\$40,139 (\$4,139)
October	\$23,122 (\$2,427)	\$23,122 (\$2,427)
November	\$40,515 (\$4,139)	\$40,139 (\$4,139)
December	\$23,122 (\$2,427)	\$23,122 (\$2,427)
January	\$37,983 (\$3,251)	\$37,983 (\$3,251)
February	\$23,122 (\$2,427)	\$23,122 (\$2,427)
March	\$23,122 (\$2,427)	\$23,122 (\$2,427)
April	\$33,652 (\$3,251)	\$33,652 (\$3,251)

Mean rate of exchange for April 1933, H.K.\$=1s. 3.11/16d.

## VALUES BY COUNTRIES

The values of imports and exports of merchandise are shown below by countries, the figures for April, 1932 being given in brackets:

	Imports	Exports
U.K.	\$4,412 (\$230)	\$230 (\$230)
Australia	\$84 (\$8)	\$8 (\$8)
Burma	\$1,931 (\$149)	\$149 (\$149)
Canada	\$201 (\$116)	\$116 (\$116)
Ceylon	\$19 (\$8)	\$8 (\$8)
India	\$271 (\$90)	\$90 (\$90)
B.N. Borneo	\$33 (\$6)	\$6 (\$6)
Straits	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Belgium	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
China North	\$2,399 (\$10)	\$10 (\$10)
China Middle	\$2,399 (\$10)	\$10 (\$10)
China South	\$2,399 (\$10)	\$10 (\$10)
France	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Indo-China	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Germany	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Holland	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Italy	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Japan	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Kwang Chow Wan	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)
Macao	\$1,407 (\$117)	\$117 (\$117)

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## JAVA SUGAR MARKET

## EXCHANGE FAVOURS DEMAND FROM CHINA

Messrs. Pentreath & Co. have forwarded us the following report dated May 4 from the Macleane Sugar Co., Ltd. of Surabaya:

**Terminal Markets.**  
London has declined by a further 1d. to 1d. per cwt. but New York has advanced by 10 points for all positions with the exception of spot which remains unchanged.  
Indian markets continue idle.

**China.**  
The demand mentioned in our last report has not been maintained but the continued decline of the Dollar and better sterling quotations may once again attract buyers. It is difficult to visualise any reasons for a reduction in NIVAS limits under present circumstances especially with the possibility of the ultimate maintenance of the guilders on a gold basis still to be proved practicable.

**The N.I.V.A.S.**  
Totals sales now amount to:—  
603,810 Tons Superior  
223,343 " Browns  
13,508 " Molasses

which shows an increase of:—  
5,706 Tons Superior  
101 " Superior seconds  
10,553 " Browns.

Included in the Browns quantity are sales of 6,000 T. and 3,000 T. to Hong Kong, and Japanese Refiners respectively. All limits remain unchanged meantime but it would not be altogether surprising if, as a suitable opportunity occurs, the NIVAS raise their 1931 crop Whites price into line with 1932 crop limit.

Exports for April are estimated at 86,250 tons of which 3,300 tons to the East Coast and 25,200 tons to the West Coast of India.

C.I.F. Shanghai  
per 100 Kgs. f.6.95 f.6.30  
C.I.F. Hong Kong  
per picul f.4.16 1/2 f.3.50

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

Paris	85 19/32
New York	3.93
Montreal	4.50
Buenos Aires	24.18
Geneva	17.55 1/2
Amsterdam	8.38
Milan	65 1/16
Berlin	14.64 1/2
Stockholm	10.45
Copenhagen	22.45
Oslo	10 11/16
Vienna	31 1/2 nom.
Prague	113 5/16
Helsinki	22 1/2
Madrid	39 1/2
Lisbon	110
Athens	590
Bucharest	57 1/2
Belgrade	250
Rio	42 nom.
Buenos Aires	41 1/2 O.R.
Montevideo	34 nom.
Bombay	1/6 3/32
Shanghai	1/2 (1)
Hong Kong	1/4 1/2
Yokohama	1/2 1/2
Silver (Spot)	18 3/16
Silver (Forward)	18 1/2
War Loan 3 1/2	99

## EXCHANGE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

May 16, 1933.

MAY 16	
LONDON:—	
Telegraphic Transfer...	100 = 100
Bank Bills, on demand	100 = 100
Bank Bills, 4 months	100 = 100
Credit, 6 months	100 = 100
Credit, 12 months	100 = 100
NEW YORK:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	100 = 100
Credits, 60 days' sight	100 = 100
PARIS:—	
Bank Bills, on demand	100 = 100
Credits, 4 months' sight	100 = 100
INDIA:—	
Telegraphic Transfer	100 = 100
Bank, on demand	100 = 100
SHANGHAI:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
KORE:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
MANILA:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
SINGAPORE:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
BATAVIA:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
SAIGON:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
BANKOK:—	
On Demand	100 = 100
RATIONS, Bank Buying	
Rate	100 = 100
SUGAR, per cwt	
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C. 200 = 100	
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AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KINGYUAN"	On 18th May, 5 p.m.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI	"LIANGCHOW"	On 19th May, 2 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"CHINHUA"	On 19th May, 8 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"HONGKONG"	On 19th May, 8 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SZCHUEN"	On 21st May, 8 p.m.
AMOI, SWATOW, SHANGHAI & FORT SWATOW	"ANSHUN"	On 22nd May, 6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 23rd May, 2 p.m.
SWATOW & HANGKOW	"KWANGCHOW"	On 23rd May, 4 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"NANNING"	On 24th May, 6 p.m.
FOOCHOW, SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 24th May, 6 p.m.
CHONGKING & TIENTSIN	"HOIHOW"	On 25th May, 10 a.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KWANGTUNG"	On 25th May, 2 p.m.
HONGKONG, DALNY & NEWCHOW	"YINGCHOW"	On 26th May, Noon
DAIRIN & NEWCHOW	"TAMING"	On 26th May, 6 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SHANTUNG"	On 26th May, 8 p.m.
SWATOW & HANGKOW	"KAYING"	On 28th May, 4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 30th May, 2 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	On 31st May, 8 p.m.
CHONGKING & TIENTSIN	"LIANGCHOW"	On 1st June, 5 p.m.
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TAIPING	11 July	21 July	24 July	9 August
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CHANGTE	11 Aug.	22 Aug.	25 Aug.	10 Sept.
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Hai Yang, Douglas, May 21.

Tsinan, B. & S., May 24.

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Santhia, B.I. (Apar), June 1.

#### Anhui.

Nan Ning, B. & S., May 24.

#### Choochow.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, May 22.

Hohow, B. & S., May 23.

Hang Sang, Jardine's, June 6.

#### Dalry.

Chin Hua, B. & S., May 18.

Antenor, B. & S., May 26.

#### Foochow.

Hai Ning, Douglas, May 19.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, May 22.

Hai Yang, Douglas, May 21.

Tsinan, B. & S., May 24.

Sui Sang, Jardine's, May 31.

Santhia, B.I. (Apar), June 1.

Empress of Russia, C.P.S., June 2.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, June 2.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, June 3.

Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 4.

Teresias, B. & S., June 4.

Chichibu, Maru, N.Y.K., June 7.

Havel, Melchers, June 8.

Pres. Adams, Dollar's, June 10.

Hilda, Dodwell's, June 11.

Somali, P. & O., June 12.

Ajex, B. & S., June 13.

Rawalpindi, P. & O., June 14.

Dollus, B. & S., June 15.

Empress of Japan, C.P.S., June 16.

Pres. Melchers, June 16.

Poling, Gilman's, June 16.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, June 21.

Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, June 24.

#### Newchwang.

Chin Hua, B. & S., May 18.

#### Ningpo.

Chin Hua, B. & S., May 18.

#### Otaru.

Teresias, B. & S., June 4.

Ajex, B. & S., June 13.

#### SHANGHAI (Direct).

King Yuan, B. & S., May 18.

Monclaus, B. & S., May 19.

Norviken, Jardine's, May 21.

Sze Chuen, B. & S., May 21.

Polix Roussel, Messageries, May 23.

Foo Shing, Jardine's, May 23.

Tsinan, B. & S., May 24.

Kwang Tung, B. & S., May 25.

Sandviken, Jardine's, May 28.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, June 2.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, June 8.

Forthos, Messageries, June 8.

#### Swatow.

Hai Ning, Douglas, May 19.

Hirundo, Thoresen's, May 21.

Norviken, Jardine's, May 21.

Sze Chuen, B. & S., May 21.

An Shun, B. & S., May 23.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, May 22.

Hai Yang, Douglas, May 21.

Kwangchow, B. & S., May 23.

Soochow, B. & S., May 23.

Foo Shing, Jardine's, May 24.

Kwang Tung, B. & S., May 25.

Sandviken, Jardine's, May 28.

Saarbrücken, Melchers, June 2.

Conte Rosso, Dodwell's, June 8.

Forthos, Messageries, June 8.

#### Taku.

Antenor, B. & S., May 26.

#### Tientsin.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, May 22.

Hohow, B. & S., May 23.

Hang Sang, Jardine's, June 6.

#### Tsingtao.

Norviken, Jardine's, May 21.

Sze Chuen, B. & S., May 21.

Soochow, B. & S., May 23.

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Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

Empress of Japan, C.P.S., June 10.

Los Angeles.

Tai Yang, Dodwell's, May 18.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Roseville, Bank Line, May 27.

Chichibu, Maru, N.Y.K., June 7.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, June 7.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, June 21.

#### Mexico.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

Tai Yang, Dodwell's, May 18.  
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.  
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, June 7.  
Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

Philadelphia.

Maron, B. & S., June 11.

Portland.

Roseville, Bank Line, May 27.

Puget Sound.

Roseville, Bank Line, May 27.

San Francisco.

Tai Yang, Dodwell's, May 18.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 24.

Roseville, Bank Line, May 27.

Chichibu, Maru, N.Y.K., June 7.

Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, June 7.

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, June 21.

Seattle.

Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, May 20.

Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, June 3.

Tantalus, B. & S., June 3.

Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, June 24.

South America (W.C.)

Rakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

Vancouver, B.C.

Empress of Canada, C.P.S., May 19.

Empress of Russia, C.P.S., June 2.

Tantalus, B. & S., June 3.

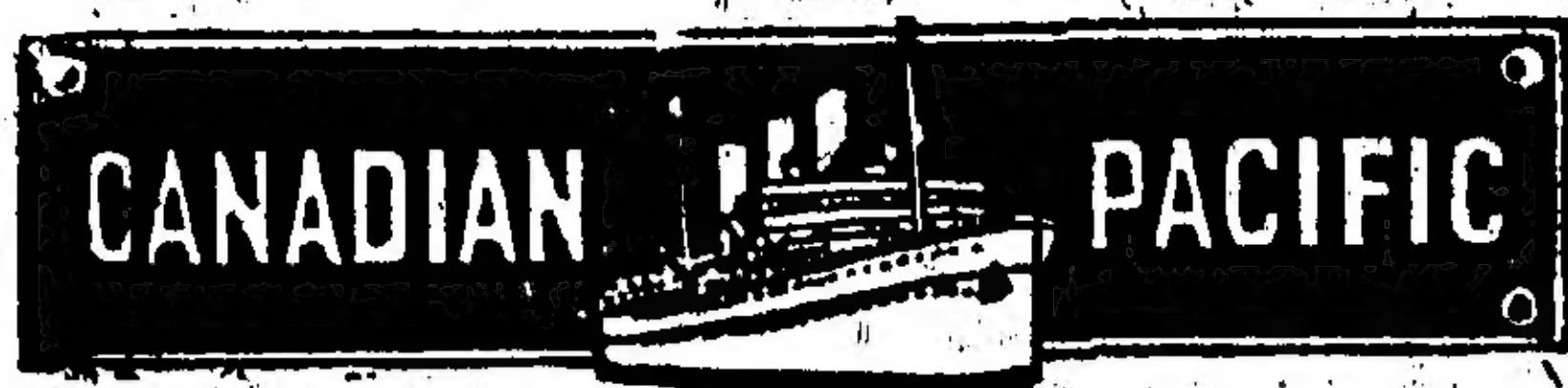
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., June 10.

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	Leave Hong Kong	Arrive Manila
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA	May 24	May 28
EMPRESS OF JAPAN	June 9	June 11

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## CANADIAN PACIFIC



### SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports & Honolulu

TAIYO MARU (Starts from Kobe)	Thursday	27th May
CHICHIBU MARU	Wednesday	7th June
TATSUTA MARU	Wednesday	21st June
ASAMA MARU	Wednesday	5th July

### SEATTLE & VANCOUVER

HIVE MARU (Starts from Kobe)	Monday	5th June
HEIAN MARU (Starts from Kobe)	Saturday	24th June

### LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

via Singapore, Penang, Colombo & Suez.

KASHIMA MARU	Saturday	27th May
YASUKUNI MARU	Friday	9th June
HAKONE MARU	Saturday	24th June

### SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Port.

KITANO MARU	Saturday	27th May
ATSUTA MARU	Saturday	24th June

### BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.

GENOA MARU	Monday	29th May
TOTORI MARU	Monday	19th June

### SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu

Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

RAKUYO MARU	Thursday	8th June
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### NEW YORK, BOSTON via PANAMA

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus:

Genoa & Valencia.

DAKAR MARU	Friday	16th June
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### CAIRO via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.

MALACCA MARU	Monday	29th May
TOKUSHIMA MARU	Thursday	8th June

### YOKOHAMA, KOBÉ & YOKOHAMA.

NAGATO MARU	Tuesday	23rd May
SWA MARU	Saturday	27th May
PENANG MARU	Monday	29th May

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ANDRE LEBON	23rd May	FELIX ROUSSEL	23rd May
FELIX ROUSSEL	6th June	PORTHOS	6th June
PORTHOS	20th June	ARABIE	20th June
ARABIE	4th July	CHENONCEAUX	4th July
CHENONCEAUX	18th July	ATHOS II	18th July
ATHOS II	1st Aug.	DARTAGNAN	1st Aug.
DARTAGNAN	15th Aug.	ANDRE LEBON	15th Aug.
ANDRE LEBON	29th Aug.	FELIX ROUSSEL	29th Aug.

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## Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances,  
Ships in Harbour, etc.

### YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 10,740 TONS;  
THROUGH PORTS  
10,800 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:

	Cargo for	Through
British.	H.K.	Ports.
Cingalese	—	—
Princk	—	—
New York	1,350	400
Liangchow	—	—
Shanghai	300	430
Taiyuan	—	—
Canton	—	550
Hydrangea	—	—
Swatow	250	—
Norwegian.	—	—
Nansenville	—	1,300
Los Angeles	2,400	100
Dutch.	—	—
Sipirok	—	2,910
Sumarinda	—	2,910
German.	—	—
Ursula	—	—
Rickmers	—	—
Hamburg	870	6,110
Danish.	—	—
Clara Jensen	—	—
Saigon	2,500	—
Japanese.	—	—
Kojun Maru	—	—
Newchwang	2,860	—
Chinese.	—	—
Cheung On	—	—
Shanmei	50	—
Tchekam	—	—
Tourane	960	—
Total	10,740	10,800

### ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:

Liangchow (British), Shanghai	55
Swatow	—
Taiyuan (British), Canton	237
Hydrangea (British), Swatow	321
Clara Jensen (Danish), Saigon	51
Deli Maru (Japanese), Takao	20
Cheung On (Chinese), Shanmei	68
Total	750

### ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:

British	7	13
Norwegian	1	1
Danish	2	1
Dutch	1	1
German	1	0
Japanese	3	2
Chinese	2	2
American	0	2
Total	17	22

### SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in port yesterday:

Warships.	—
Kowloon—Empress of Canada,	—
Tilawa, Kaiser-I-Hind.	—
A.P.O., North Point—Concordia.	—

### ARRIVALS.

May 16.  
Clara Jensen, Danish str., 1,145 tons, Capt. Dahl, from Saigon, buoy No. C1—Yuen On & Co.  
Deli Maru, Japanese str., 1,209 tons, Capt. E. Sunada, from Canton, O.S.K. Wharf—O.S.K.  
Sipirok, Dutch str., 1,001 tons, Capt. L. A. V. Van Aubel, from Samarinda, Yaumati Anchorage—J.C.J.L.  
May 17.  
Anshun, British str., 1,080 tons, Capt. J. McCulloch, from Amoy, buoy No. B21—R. & S.  
Canton Maru, Japanese str., 1,047 tons, Capt. Y. Iwazaki, from Swatow, O.S.K. Wharf—O.S.K.  
Empress of Canada, British str., 12,811 tons, Capt. A. J. Hailey, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf—C.P.R.  
Foo Shing, British str., 1,433 tons, Capt. R. C. Thompson, from Swatow, West Point Wharf—J. M. & Co.  
Hai Ning, British str., 832 tons, Capt. E. Walker, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas S.S. Co.  
Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Capt. P. W. Grierson, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf—Chiu On S.S. Co.  
Kaiser-I-Hind, British str., 6,013 tons, Capt. W. Cotching, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.  
Kojun Maru, Japanese str., 1,305 tons, Capt. M. Kojima, from Newchwang, Yaumati Anchorage—M.B.K.  
Liang Chow, British str., 1,220 tons, Capt. J. M. Hall, from Swatow, buoy No. C4—B. & S.  
Szechuen, British str., 1,064 tons, Capt. S. M. Barling, from Swatow, buoy No. B30—R. & S.  
Tai Yuan, British str., 2,100 tons, Capt. J. K. Clark, from Canton, buoy No. B15—B. & S.

O.S.K.—Deli Maru and Canton Maru.  
Douglas Laprak—Hanning and Svalde.  
Buoya.  
No. A2—Sirdhana.  
No. A3—Baldina.  
No. A6—Taiping.  
No. A8—Tjinegara.  
No. A11—La Plata Maru.  
No. A12—Cape St. Francis.  
No. A15—Yon Heutz.  
No. A16—Nansenville.  
No. B1—Yu Sang.  
No. B3—Kwangchow.  
No. B6—Fingal.  
No. B8—Hirundo.  
No. B9—Proseper.  
No. B10—Tchekam.  
No. A14—Kinguan.  
No. B16—Halvard.  
No. B17—Mao Lee.  
No. B18—Michael Jensen.  
No. B22—Mau Sang.  
No. B26—Taiyo Maru.  
No. C1—Clara Jensen.  
No. C2—Mabelle.  
No. C4—Liangchow.

### WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:

Basin—Tamar.	—
North Wall—Otus.	—
South Wall—Sandwich and Seamus.	—
East Wall—Pandora, Proteus and Osiris.	—
Dock—Orpheus, Olympus and Perseus.	—
No. 3 Buoy—Cornwall.	—
Foreign—U.S.S. Isabel and Mindanao.	—

### VESSELS DUE

Agamemnon, B. & S., May 23.  
Ajax, B. & S., June 13.  
Andre Lebon, Messageries, May 23.  
Annam, Mannor's, May 20.  
Antenor, B. & S., May 26.  
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., May 18.  
Bangalore, P. & O., June 28.  
Cartago, P. & O., May 19.  
Changto, B. & S., June 9.  
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., June 2.  
Dakar Maru, N.Y.K., June 15.  
Dardanus, B. & S., July 3.  
Dolius, B. & S., June 15.  
Durban Maru, N.Y.K., May 18.  
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., June 28.  
Empress of Russia, C.P.S., May 24.  
Empress of Japan, C.P.S., June 9.  
Felix Roussel, Messageries, May 23.  
Fuchini Maru, N.Y.K., June 10.  
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.  
Havel, Melchers, June 3.  
Hector, B. & S., June 23.  
Isar, Melchers, June 16.  
Java, Mannor's, June 1.  
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.  
Kishino Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.  
Lushan Maru, N.Y.K., May 29.  
Machao, B. & S., May 22.  
Manila, P. & O., May 31.  
Menelaus, B. & S., May 19.  
Morio Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.  
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 20.  
Nankin, E. & A., June 3.  
Penang Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.  
Perseus, B. & S., June 18.  
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, June 9.  
Pres. A.M. Line, June 30.  
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, May 21.  
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, May 21.  
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, June 26.  
Pres. Madison, A.M. Line, June 16.  
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, May 26.  
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, May 19.  
Pres. Wilson, Dollar's, May 29.  
Saarbrücken, Melchers, June 2.  
Sakuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.  
Sancou Maru, N.Y.K., May 19.  
Rappara, P. & O., June 28.  
Rawalpindi, P. & O., June 14.  
Santhia, B.I. (Apar), May 30.  
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apar), June 27.  
Somali, P. & O., June 12.  
Soochow, B. & S., May 23.  
Sungai Maru, N.Y.K., May 20.  
Sura Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.  
Tama, B.I. (Apar), May 29.  
Taming, B. & S., May 18.  
Tando, E. & A., May 30.  
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.  
Tantalus, B. & S., May 21.  
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., June 16.  
Tetsu, B. & S., June 4.  
Tsuvo, Melchers, May 10.  
Tyndarus, B. & S., June 14.  
Yasuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 8.

### CLEARANCES

May 17.  
Yu Sang, for Swatow.  
Sirdhana, for Singapore.  
Tjinegara, for Amoy.  
La Plata Maru, for Saigon.  
Mao Lee, for Canton.  
Tai Po, Sek, for K.C. Wan.  
Prosper, for Saigon.  
Taiyu Maru, for Hongkong.  
Halvard, for Swatow.  
Mau Sang, for Sandakan.  
Fingal, for Saigon.  
Tai Yuan, for Amoy.  
Michael Jensen, for Bangkok.  
Swatow, for Swatow.  
Sipirok, for Canton.  
Produce, for Shanghai.  
Chinhia, for Canton.  
Seistan, for Singapore.

### SHIPPING MOVEMENT.

The R.M.S. Empress of Russia arrived at Yokohama yesterday 7 a.m., left at 4 p.m., is due at Hong Kong on May 24 at 9 a.m., and will leave for Manila on the same day at 5 p.m.

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"KIDDERPORE"	4,300	6th June	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"KADAR-I-HIND"	15,000	17th June	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BURDWAN"	6,500	24th June	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"MANTUA"	11,000	1st July	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	15th July	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"SOMALI"	6,800	22nd July	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BANPURA"	17,000	29th July	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	12th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BANGALORE"	6,000	19th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"RANCHI"	17,000	26th Aug.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"CARTHAGE"	14,000	9th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"BHUTAN"	6,000	16th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"NALDERA"	16,000	23rd Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"CORFU"	14,000	7th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.
"SOUDAN"	6,800	14th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles and London.

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"TILAWA"	10,000	10th June	do.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	24th June	do.
"TAKADA"	8,000	5th July	do.

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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"TILAWA"	10,000	18th May, 6 a.m.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Osaka.
"KADAR-I-HIND"	15,000	18th May, Noon	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SANTHIA"	8,000	1st June	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"NANKIN"	7,000	1st June	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"SOMALI"	6,800	12th June	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"RAWALPINDI"	17,000	12th June	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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"CARTHAGE"	14,000	10th Aug.	Amoy, Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
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From May 18, to 24 1933.

High Water.		Low Water.	
Day of Week	Time	Day of Week	Time
Thur. 18	06.23	Fri. 19	06.55
Fri. 19	17.37	Sat. 20	17.22
Sat. 20	19.14	Sun. 21	07.47
Sun. 21	19.11	Mon. 22	08.13
Mon. 22	19.16	Tue. 23	08.39
Tue. 23	21.55	Wed. 24	09.03
Wed. 24	22.40		

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Hong Kong Observatory, May 17.

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Barometer.....29.84	29.85	29.78
Temperature.....82	84	87
Humidity.....81	81	72
Wind.....E	E	S
Direction.....E	E	S
Force.....3	3	3
Weather.....B	B	B
Rain.....0.00	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 16.84  
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